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JEROME GOT THOMAS TO CHANGE LAWYERS

Admits He Asked Indicted Banker to Drop Lauterbach for His Friend, Ex-Justice Davy.

TOOK DEFENDANT TO DINNER

District Attorney Tells Why He Urged Indictment of Independent Ice Conperns—Has Convicted but One Man.

Just before the cross-examination of District Attorney Jerome closed yesterday at the hearing on the charges brought against him by the King Committee of Metropolitan Street Railway stockholders before Commissioner Richard L. Hand, it was brought out that about the time of the indictment of Edward R. Thomas Mr. Jerome entertained Mr. Thomas at dinner at the City Club and advised him to drop Edward Lauterbach as his lawyer and retain ex-Justice Davy. Ex-Justice Davy is a warm personal friend of Mr. Jerome and was one of those who wrote letters commending the District Attorney when the charges were brought by the committee of which William F. King is Chairman.

Franklin Pierce, the lawyer who is presenting the case against the District Attorney, kept this disclosure as the final drive of his cross-examination, which has been going on for two days. Yesterday's session had been full of personal tilts of the bitterest character. It also brought out Mr. Jerome's opinion of the Armstrong Committee's investigation as conducted by Gov. Hughes. That inquiry, according to Mr. Jerome, was conducted, not for the purpose of getting evidence on which to convict any one, but to get information on which the Legislature might pass laws limiting the income of the insurance companies.

Thomas Was Jerome's Guest.

The testimony concerning the dinner with E. R. Thomas was presented, Mr. Pierce said, bearing upon the credibility of Mr. Jerome as a witness, for it had no bearing upon any of the charges filed by the King Committee.

"Didn't you invite E. R. Thomas to the City Club to dine with you at about the time of his indictment?" asked Mr. Pierce.

"I certainly did," Mr. Jerome replied.

"You were then contemplating indictments against him?"

"I suppose," sneered the witness, "that you sat in the party at the next table, or else that a certain Judge who was there told you what he was able to overhear of the conversation."

Mr. Pierce made no comment and Mr. Jerome continued:

"If you want to know about that I'll tell you. Karl Decker, E. R. Thomas, and I dined at the City Club together—"

"And you said to Mr. Thomas that if he would discharge Edward Lauterbach as his counsel and employ ex-Justice Davy you would be easy with him?"

"No," came back Mr. Jerome, "what I did say was that I had every confidence in ex-Justice Davy and no confidence at all in Mr. Lauterbach, and it would be better in such matters as might come in contact with my office if his attorney was a lawyer in whose word I put some reliance rather than one in whose word I placed none."

"And did Mr. Thomas retain Judge Davy?" asked Mr. Pierce.

"He did," said Mr. Jerome.

"And do you now contemplate, or did you tell him that you contemplated, such a determination of the questions involved in the Thomas indictment as you made of those involved in the Perkins case?"

"No," said the District Attorney. "The people who overheard that conversation and told you about it ought to have been careful to listen a little more sharply. Now, suppose you go on and tell us who was there. There was Judge Gaynor and several others—who were they?"

Mr. Pierce dropped the subject at this sally and did not develop what the plan was which Mr. Jerome entertained as to the disposition of the indictment against E. R. Thomas.

One of the sharpest personal passages between the attacking and the defending attorney came when Mr. Jerome in the morning session made a remark reflecting upon Mr. Pierce's experience in the District Attorney's office.

"Now, look here," said Mr. Pierce, who had previously stood without comment a good many digs from his witness, "this has gone far enough. During the three months that I was an Assistant District Attorney I got four convictions out of five prosecutions for murder. Now, since you took office—and you've talked a good deal about being very busy—have you convicted a man in a case that you've tried personally in these five years?"

"No," said Mr. Jerome, "I've only tried two cases."

"Only tried two cases?" Mr. Pierce repeated.

"Oh, there was one more in Special Sessions," the witness recalled. "That resulted in a conviction."

"One conviction out of three cases that you personally have tried in five years?"

"Yes," said Mr. Jerome.

Untermyer's Contribution.

Mr. Pierce next took up the circumstances attending Mr. Jerome's second campaign and in particular the contribution of $5,000 by Samuel Untermyer. Mr. Jerome said he decided to run independently because he didn't propose to go with his hat in his hand to Charles F. Murphy asking for a nomination. Mr. Jerome acknowledged the work done in his campaign by William F. King, Chairman of the committee which is now making the charges, but said that after his election he acquired a habit of throwing communications from Mr. King into his waste paper basket upon reading the letter head of Mr. King's business firm.

Of the Untermyer contribution Mr. Jerome said that in the Spring of 1905 Mr. Untermyer, whom he had known pleasantly for some time previously, had asked him to lunch, and in a party consisting also of Assistant District Attorney Gans and Louis Marshall, Mr. Untermyer's law partner, had broached the question whether Mr. Jerome would run again. Mr. Jerome said he didn't think he would be nominated by either party, and didn't believe that an independent campaign could be made successfully. Mr. Untermyer said that he would be one of six to raise $150,000 for such a campaign. There the matter dropped for

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BOY ADMITS KILLING ANOTHER

Eight-Year-Old Says He Pushed Comrade Into the River.

For three hours yesterday eight-year-old Charles Dokoupio of 311 East Sixty-first Street was cross-examined by Detectives Fogarty and Galvin of Police Headquarters. The detectives later asserted that the boy had confessed to them every detail of how he pushed his seven-year-old playmate, George Kralik, who lived in the same house, into the East River from a pier at Sixty-first Street ten days ago.

Last night, however, word came from Brooklyn Police Headquarters that a small boy, who was found in the streets several days ago and sent to the Children's Society, bore a striking resemblance to Dokoupio's victim, and John Kralik, the boy's father, hurried to Brooklyn in the hope of finding his son.

According to the confession, George and Charles and the latter's elder brother, Joseph, who is 10 years old, went to collect kindling wood at Fifty-ninth Street and Madison Avenue. George and Charles worked in Madison Avenue, while Joseph went to the Madison Avenue side of the building.

That was why a kind-hearted man neglected him when he stopped and gave 10 cents to each of the other boys. Charles shared his with his brother, but George refused to give away any of his. Finally the boys went home and Charles and George went down to the pier at Sixty-first Street.

"George was sitting on a stringpiece throwing pebbles into the water," the detectives say Charles confessed, "and I got to thinkin' how mean he was to Joe. Then I got mad and I slipped up behind him and just pushed him off the pier. He fell into the water and I saw him struggle around for awhile, but finally he just disappeared, and that's all I know."

FRANCES NAPIER FOUND.

Strangely Restored by Father of Youth Charged with Her Abduction.

Frances Napier, the Coney Island girl who disappeared from her home on Tuesday, was taken to the Coney Island Police Station shortly before midnight last night by James Vinton, who said he had found her drenched and starving in an abandoned sloop off Bay Forty-ninth Street, Ulmer Park, an hour before.

Yesterday afternoon Detective Arthur Butler took a rowboat and went out to the houseboat occupied by Vinton and his family off Bay Forty-ninth Street, and arrested Lester F. Vinton, a son. At the police station Vinton was asked about Frances Napier.

"I don't know anything about her," he said. "I won't talk about her."

About an hour after young Vinton had been locked up his father, James Vinton, appeared at the station house and told Capt. Kelly he thought he would be able to find the girl before midnight.

The Captain permitted him to leave, and true to his prophecy Mr. Vinton returned to the station house at a quarter to 12 o'clock and with him was the girl. She became so hysterical that she was sent home. She will appear in the Coney Island Police Court this morning, when young Vinton is arraigned on a charge of abduction.

In explaining how he happened to find the girl, the elder Vinton said he thought she might be somewhere along the shore, and that as he walked along the beach he came across an old abandoned sloop in which he found her. From there, he said, he took the girl to his houseboat, where dry clothes and something to eat were given her. The police are inclined to cast doubt on Vinton's story.

STARVING, DIES AS HE EATS.

First Meal in Two Days Fails to Save an Outcast.

After wandering aimlessly through the streets in the driving rain a stranger walked into the tenement at 408 Second Avenue yesterday and to Mrs. Alice Cahill, living on the third floor, said:

"For God's sake, give me something to eat. It is two days now since I have eaten, and I will die from hunger."

He staggered, and at first Mrs. Cahill thought he was intoxicated, but she soon realized he was weak from hunger and helped him to a chair at the kitchen table, and in a few minutes placed a hot dinner before him.

As the man ate he muttered prayers, saying that Mrs. Cahill would be rewarded for the good she had done. After thanking her, he walked to the door. As he opened it he staggered and fell.

Mrs. Cahill and her son, James, picked him up and he started down the stairs. When he reached the ground floor he fell again and was unconscious when picked up. Policeman Elliott summoned Dr. Miller from Bellevue Hospital, but the stranger was dead when the surgeon arrived.

DEMOCRATS MAY WIN.

Republicans Are Inactive in the Niagara-Orleans District.

Special to The New York Times.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 7.—On the eve of Gov. Hughes's anti-race-track gambling campaign in connection with the Senatorial contest in the Niagara-Orleans District, the political leaders there are predicting a close election, with the odds in favor of the Democratic candidate, Henry A. McMahon.

There is an absolute lack of activity on the part of the Republicans in the district. A large number of the adherents of the Wadsworth-Merritt faction will stay away from the polls altogether. Others will vote for the Democratic candidate.

NO AUTO RIDE FOR THAW.

Request for Outing Was Refused by Dutchess County Authorities.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 7.—Harry K. Thaw, occupying Sheriff Chanler's big bedroom on the top floor of the Dutchess County Court House, has everything he wants, except his library and an automobile. He requested the privilege of a ride in an auto with a keeper, but the request was refused.

To-day he spent some time preparing notes on points in his case, which he desires his counsel to bring out in the inquiry into his sanity. He refuses to talk to any visitors.

The habeas corpus proceedings of Thaw to procure his release from the Matteawan State Hospital will be begun next Wednesday before Justice Morschauser in this city instead of next Monday, the date heretofore set. This arrangement was made to-day by District Attorney Mack of Dutchess County and James G. Graham, counsel for Thaw. The postponement was made to suit the convenience of District Attorney Jerome, who will practically have charge of the examination of witnesses.

100 IN PERIL ON SHIP; RESCUERS TURN BACK

Hope Wanes for Those on the Peter Rickmers, Pounding on Fire Island Sands.

LASHED TO MAST STUMPS

Three Masts Gone, Seams Open, Deck Awash—Lines Fail to Reach Her—Life Savers Helpless.

Special to The New York Times.

EASTPORT, L. I., May 7.—Lashed to the stumps of the tall timbers, once the masts of the big German steel ship Peter Rickmers, which ran aground on the sandbar at Zach's Inlet just a week ago to-night, or tied fast to the battered remnants of deckhouse and rigging, 100 men, 40 of them members of the crew and the rest from the wrecking steamers which have been trying to float the Rickmers, are in dire peril of their lives at midnight to-night. They are waiting for the arrival of the revenue cutter Mohawk, bringing the power lifeboat Rescue, and the crew of the Sandy Hook Life Saving Station. On Capt. Chester A. Lippincott, and his life savers hangs their only remaining hope of rescue. And the life savers have had to wait till morning.

To-night the vessel is a wreck. In the storm of the last twenty-four hours her masts have gone by the board, her seams are open and water is pouring into her hold through them and the hatches on deck, which is awash. Her crew, benumbed with cold and already half dead from exposure, are facing death with only the hope that the rescue may arrive before their vessel pounds to pieces.

From Sandy Hook, just before midnight, came news that the saving crew, after boarding the Mohawk and starting for the wreck, had to anchor in the bay. The life savers returned to the Sandy Hook station, but they will make a new start for the wreck at 3:30 o'clock in the morning, hoping to reach the vessel by daybreak. The wind had then lessened somewhat, but the sea continued heavy. The Rickmers is still in constant danger of breaking up.

Life Lines Have Failed.

Last night's storm turned the Peter Rickmers from one of the finest and largest vessels of her kind afloat to a waterlogged and pounding wreck. Huge waves are washing over the big vessel's decks and causing her to pound viciously on the sands. The tremendous seas which are running make it impossible for life savers to reach the vessel from the shore, although nearly thirty life savers, the crews of the Zach's Inlet, Jones's Inlet, Short Beach, and Oak Island Stations, are gathered on the shore less than half a mile from the wreck.

Benumbed from exposure to the storm, the crew of the ship seemed unable to aid their rescuers in operating the breeches buoy, and the chance for rescue passed, for the storm suddenly increased in fury. Gusts of wind lashed the slender lines connecting the ship with the shore, and high rollers raised the vessel on their crests, only to drop her back into the sea, rolling and pounding. At last there came a lurch of the vessel that tautened the lines till they sang under the strain. For an instant it seemed that they might hold, but suddenly both parted. A groan went up from the watchers on shore.

Life Savers Reinforced.

The Zach's Inlet men called out the life savers from the other stations. Additional mortars were set up on shore and time and again the men tried to get another line over the doomed vessel. There was danger that their missiles might strike the crew, lashed on the deck, for the vessel was gradually dragging off shore, and it soon became apparent that at most the lines could only reach the vessel, surely not pass over it. However, none even reached.

News of the situation was sent to the Superintendent of the Fourth Life Saving District, and he determined as a last resort to summon the Sandy Hook crew. Capt. Lippincott and his men will start in the morning for the wreck.

On these men depend the only remaining hope of the crew of the Peter Rickmers. As soon as the Mohawk reaches a point off Zach's Island the life savers will enter their boat and try to take the men off the Rickmers and land them on the revenue cutter. If the attempt fails there seems to be no hope for the unfortunates aboard the ship.

Since last midnight the vessel has drifted about half a mile along the shore, pounding as she moved, and continually driving her seams further and further open. It is a question of only hours at most before she will fall to pieces. Should this happen before the Mohawk and her convoy the Rescue arrive, and the crew of the ship be killed, it will seem like fate to some of the watchers ashore.

"When you think that until last night Capt. Bachmann and his crew might have come ashore at any time they desired, it seems as though they were doomed to be where they are," was frequently remarked by men on shore.

Waited a Little Too Long.

The position of the men on the ship is due to the rapidity with which the storm arose. They were virtually trapped on board. For days since the Peter Rickmers went ashore wrecking steamers and their crews have been lightering the ship of some of her cargo of oil. Much had been thrown overboard, and the residents along the south shore reaped a harvest by gathering up the cans and selling the oil for what they could get.

Then barges were obtained, and the oil was transferred from the ship to these. To accomplish this work the wrecking company put sixty men aboard the ship yesterday. They worked hard and fast, but waited just a moment too long before trying to return to their steamers.

The storm broke, and the wrecking steamers were compelled to run out to sea to escape being wrecked themselves. Since then they have returned and are now standing by the wreck, but it is impossible for them to aid the men on board.

The Peter Rickmers, in command of Capt. Bachmann, sailed from this port on April 30, bound for Rangoon, Burmah, with a cargo of 120,000 cases of crude petroleum. She was under charter to the Standard Oil Company. She cleared Sandy Hook the same day and started on her eastward voyage. On Thursday night she ran into a heavy storm, which drove her on to the sandbar. The crew was unable to work their vessel off the sand, and wreckers were sent for. Until last night it had seemed that their work would be successful. Tugs had towed the ship a short distance, and it was hoped that she might be floated to-day.

The Peter Rickmers was built in Port Glasgow, Scotland, in 1889. She is of 2,958 tons gross register. She is designated as a four-masted bark on the other side of the Atlantic, but is classed as a full-rigged ship here. She is a steel vessel.

TUNNEL TUBES THROUGH.

Last Heading in Pennsylvania System Under the Rivers Blown Out.

The final blast that broke down the last heading of the north tunnel bored by the Pennsylvania Railroad under the Hudson River was fired at 1:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was the last of all the headings and tunnels that have been driven by the Pennsylvania Railroad for its New York improvements. The excavation of tunnels of an aggregate length of 16.5 miles required the removal of 3,000,000 cubic yards of material.

Yesterday for the first time a person could walk from the western end of either of the two Bergen Hill tunnels under the Hudson River to Seventh Avenue, Manhattan, and from Seventh Avenue under the East River to East End Avenue, in Long Island City.

Last night in honor of the completion of this work Charles M. Jacobs, his staff of engineers, and the contractors, the latter headed by William Bradley, dined at Sherry's. W. H. King presided. In introducing Mr. Jacobs as the first speaker he referred to him as an Englishman by birth and training, who represented the very best type of an Englishman domiciled in America.

Mr. Jacobs said that the gigantic task which had been successfully accomplished would not have been done but for the loyal aid of his assistants.

John B. McDonald, who built the first New York subway, then spoke. Following him was Patrick F. McGowan, President of the Board of Aldermen.

WAR OVER TELEPHONE BILL.

Newark Fire Commission Refuses to Pay One of $2,000—Too High.

The Newark Fire Commissioners have refused to pay a bill of the New York & New Jersey Telephone Company for $2,000, and have referred the document to Mayor Jacob Haussling. Edward Gnichtel, President of the board, charges that the telephone company has acknowledged the injustice of the bill, but refuses to change it. The bill has been in dispute since the first of the year.

Mr. Gnichtel has submitted to the board a statement in which he says that an itemized bill showed that the Fire Department was compelled to pay $60 a year for each telephone, including every engine house, truck house, residences of the Chief, Deputy Chief, and Superintendent of Fire Alarms. A telephone at the Salvage Corps house was also charged to the city.

"They are charging us with the maximum amount for service according to their printed price list," Mr. Gnichtel stated. "At the same time they are constantly coming to us to ask for privileges. At present they are using the poles that were erected by the Fire Department for its own use, and have frequently asked for concessions from the board which they would be able to get nowhere else."

The statement further points out discrepancies in charges for telephones located within a few feet of each other, some of the differences being more than 100 per cent.

PINS PRAYER TO BABY WAIF.

"Heartbroken" Implores Forgiveness for Deserting It on Such a Night.

To the Finder: God forgive me for deserting baby on such a night. Please take baby to the hospital.

HEARTBROKEN.

Henry Randall, going into the hallway of his home, 300 East 119th Street, found a boy baby a week old. The note was pinned to his coat. Randall heard the baby crying as he entered the front door. On investigation he found the little one wrapped up in some old clothing and tucked away at the rear of the hall. The child was fairly well dressed and healthy. He wore a white linen dress and a cap trimmed with blue ribbons. The baby was turned over to the police of the East 126th Street Station.

INSURRECTION IN SCHOOL.

Women Teachers Rise Up Against Principal—Say He Must Go.

Special to The New York Times.

POUGHKEEPSIE, May 7.—The Tivoli schools are in a state of turmoil because all the women teachers have served notice on the Board of Education that they will not teach any longer if Arthur T. Bennett is re-engaged as Principal. The women say Bennett is too fussy.

They accuse him of attending to everybody's business except his own and of being extremely arbitrary in his methods. They bore with him, however, for a long time, they say, hoping that he would change and be nice.

But one day Mr. Bennett, for some slight infraction of the rules, summoned the teaching force before the assembled pupils of one of the schools and reprimanded them. That exhausted their patience, and now they say Bennett must go. The Board of Education is pledged to support Mr. Bennett by three to one, but the betting in Tivoli is three to one that the Commissioners will yield.

OBJECTED TO B. WASHINGTON.

Alabamans Protested Against Negro Speaking at Religious Meeting.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 7.—It was learned to-day that a warm session of the Executive Commission of Alabama in the International Sunday School Association was held in secret here Monday night, at which a protest was made against Booker T. Washington as one of the speakers at the forthcoming convention in Louisville.

The most strenuous objection, it was said, was made by V. B. Atkins, Mayor of Selma, an active Sunday School worker. Gov. Comer, Armsted Brown of Montgomery, and J. B. Greene of Opelika were among the speakers. Finally it was decided that the protest came too late, and Washington will remain on the programme.

GIRL'S LIFE VALUED AT $1,500.

Parents of Three, Killed by a Falling Stack, Awarded That Sum.

Special to The New York Times.

MILLVILLE, N. J., May 7.—Fifteen hundred dollars apiece was the price of girls' lives as set by a jury in the Cumberland County Court to-day.

In April, 1907, a huge brick stack fell at the glass works of the T. C. Wheaton Company, and killed Lydia Thurston, Lena Doughty, and Sylvia Gallagher. The parents of the girls brought action against the manufacturing firm for damages. The jury to-day deliberated but a short time and gave damages in each case of $1,500.

DEWEY'S WINE STORE,
$00 feet from Fulton St. Sub. Station.
H. C. Dewey & Sons Co., 188 Fulton St., New York.
—Adv.

ALLOW THOMAS CAR A LEAD OF 15 DAYS

French Auto Race Committee Decide for American Crew in Auto Race.

PROTOS 30 DAYS BEHIND

Russian Committee Has Completed Arrangements for the Supply of Gasoline on Siberian Route.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, May 7.—The French committee having in charge the New York to Paris automobile race organized under the auspices of the Matin and assisted by THE NEW YORK TIMES held a meeting here to-day to pass upon questions arising from the change of route of the race made necessary by the impassability of the Alaskan trail after the thaw had set in.

It was decided that the American Thomas car should be allowed fifteen days' advantage over its nearest competitor in the passage of Siberia and Europe, because of the advantage which it lost in going to Alaska, and its lead across the United States. The Italian Zust car and the French De Dion car had already been instructed to await the arrival of the American car in Vladivostok.

The committee also decided that the German Protos car should be penalized fifteen days for having taken a train from Pocatello, Idaho, to Seattle. Account was taken of the fact that there was some misunderstanding as to the right of the car to take a train after reaching Ogden, if necessary to catch a particular steamer to Alaska. It was considered that the Protos car would have occupied another fifteen days in reaching San Francisco and Seattle if it had proceeded by the same means employed by the other contestants in reaching Seattle.

The Italian Zust car and the French De Dion car are therefore entitled to fifteen days' advantage over the German car, while the American car has thirty days' advantage over the Protos.

No announcement was made of the withdrawal of the De Dion car, though it is understood that Bourcier St. Chaffray has been instructed by the Marquis De Dion not to continue the race further than Vladivostok. The arrival of the French and Italian cars is daily expected at Vladivostok, while it is expected that the American car will arrive in Japan to-morrow. The German car, which is going by direct boat to Vladivostok, is not expected there until early next week.

The keenest interest is manifested in the race, now that the cars are about to start across the Eastern Hemisphere, and their progress will be watched with the closest attention. The Russian committee which has had charge of the arrangement of gasoline supplies and other details for the trans-Siberian trip has completed its work, and the cars will be ready to start across Siberia as soon as the American car arrives at Vladivostok. It is estimated that the trip through Asia and Europe will occupy from ten weeks to three months, and the leading car will reach Paris about Aug. 10.

The committee has decided to give two additional prizes to the second and third cars which complete the journey to Paris.

STANDARD OIL RENEWS FIGHT.

Seeking to Escape Payment of $29,240,000 Levied by Judge Landis.

CHICAGO, May 7.—The Standard Oil Company of Indiana to-day began a new fight to escape payment of the $29,240,000 fine levied by Judge Landis in the United States District Court. Attorneys for the company appeared before the United States Circuit Court of Appeals to argue the appeal from the judgment of the lower court. The hearing consumed the greater part of the day.

The opening argument of the company was made by John S. Miller. He declared that a reversal should be granted because, according to his statement, the oil company did not know it was using illegal rates. Mr. Miller also maintained that each trainload of the company's product should have been taken as the basis of a shipment, instead of each car, as set forth in the indictment under which the company was convicted.

WIFE NO. 1 SNARED HIM.

Sent Passage Money to Husband So She Could Put Him in Prison.

A surprise awaited Gustav Fisher when he came ashore yesterday from the White Star liner Teutonic, and though it was arranged entirely by his first wife, acting with the police, it was made more effective by the presence on the pier of another wife.

Wife No. 1 sent to him the money with which to pay his passage, and had an escort consisting of Lieuts. Moody, Leeson, Flay, and Aikman to show the way to Police Headquarters.

Fisher was arrested on a charge of bigamy brought by his wife, who was Regina Sibenburger, and lives at 218 Second Street. They were married by Alderman Frederick Brenner on Jan. 6, 1902. At that time Fisher's address was 285 Bowery.

The pair drifted apart, and, according to Mrs. Fisher, her husband, posing as an unmarried man, married Johanna Greenwald of 223 Avenue C. At that time Fisher was living at 86 Lewis Street. Wife No. 2 now lives at 314 East Eighty-second Street.

Mrs. Fisher No. 1 learned of the second marriage. She reported to the police, and Lieut. Flay was put on the case. He succeeded in finding Wife No. 2.

A lodge to which Fisher belonged was to be disbanded, and several hundred dollars was coming to him. He wrote to Wife No. 1 for money with which to get back to America.

She sent $80 and wrote that she would be glad when he returned to America.

Wife No. 2, who met Fisher at the pier, was much affected by the revelation and arrest.

THREATEN MAYOR REYBURN.

Attacks on Philadelphia Executive Followed by Blackmailing Letters.

PHILADELPHIA, May 7.—Mayor Reyburn of this city declared to-day that he has received recently a number of blackmailing letters, some of them threatening his life and others threatening to blow up his home. They were written evidently by a person of education.

"I have turned a number of these letters over to the police, who have thus far been unable to find the writers," said the Mayor. "Whenever an outburst against me or my policies appears in the public prints these blackmailing letters threatening my life and the destruction of my home begin to come in."

ANOTHER TROOP CALLED OUT.

Gov. Harris Reinforces Soldiers Against the Night Riders.

COLUMBUS, May 7.—Troop A of Cleveland left for Ripley to-night by order of Gov. Harris.

This action was taken at the request of Assistant Adjutant Gen. Kautzman, who reports that Troop B and Company G of the Seventh Regiment were not sufficient to guard the sixty miles of river front from raids of "night riders."

ACCUSED OF FIRING CHELSEA.

Two Men Held on Charge of Starting Blaze That Destroyed City.

CHELSEA, Mass., May 7.—Under prohibitive bonds Judge Bosser, in the Chelsea Municipal Court, to-day held the first two men to be arrested on suspicion of having set the fire that destroyed more than a third of the city on April 12. The defendants are Jacob Lewitzky and Abraham Wolnitz. Lewitzky owned a rag shop and Wolnitz was employed by him. They were arrested yesterday.

Each pleaded not guilty and was held for a continued hearing a week from to-day, Lewitzky in $15,000 bonds and Wolnitz in $10,000.

CECILIA LOFTUS FAINTS.

Forgets the Words of a Song and Collapses on Stage.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 7.—Cecilia Loftus suddenly collapsed on the stage at the Maryland during the matinée to-day. She was in the middle of one of her songs when she suddenly stopped singing. The orchestra leader, astonished, stopped playing.

For a few moments the audience believed that it was part of the show, but Miss Loftus started back saying she had forgotten the words. Near the wings she cried out and fell in a faint. Attendants on the stage rushed to her assistance. She has been ill for several days.

ROOSEVELT AT TORPEDO TEST.

May See Attack on Monitor Florida from Deck of Montgomery.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 7.—The cruiser Montgomery will coal to-morrow to be in readiness for duty in connection with the torpedo and shell experiments with the Monitor Florida in Southern waters some time during the present month, the date of which and the place the Navy Department is keeping secret.

The torpedo boat Morris, which will fire the Whitehead torpedo into the turret by use of a trolley, is at the torpedo station waiting for instructions to start. No one but army and navy officials will see the tests.

It is reported here that President Roosevelt may witness the experiments from the deck of the cruiser Montgomery.

OLD MAN KILLED BY GRIEF.

Formerly Leading Physician Forced to Go to an Almshouse.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, N. J., May 7.—Grieving because he was compelled to go to the almshouse, Dr. Charles B. Warrington, for more than thirty-five years a practicing physician in various New Jersey towns, died last night in the Warren County Almshouse, where he had been for the last ten days. For a year he had lived with a son, John Warrington, at Nazareth, but ten days ago left that house. The aged physician had made a will leaving his small estate to a blind son, Penrose Warrington of Hampton Junction.

There was no place for the old man except the almshouse. The disgrace of becoming a public charge where he had formerly been a leading citizen preyed on the aged physician so that he became ill.

HOPE FOR MANASQUAN BANK.

First National, Closed by President's Suicide, May Pay All Depositors.

MANASQUAN, N. J., May 7.—Despite the report in Manasquan this morning that the bankrupt New Jersey and West Virginia Bridge Company would pay only about 15 or 20 per cent. to its creditors, the largest one of whom is the closed First National Bank, many depositors of the bank, whose President, Morgan De Lancey Magee, committed suicide last Friday, believe that the bank will be able to pay in full. It was the inability of the Bridge Company to repay its loan to the bank that largely prompted Mr. Magee's suicide.

If the bridge company's indebtedness to the bank is $175,000 and the bankrupt concern only pays 20 per cent. the bank would realize about $35,000. It is authoritatively stated that nearly all, if not all, of the remainder of the bank's paper will be realized on in full.

The Manasquan Building and Loan Association has its money tied up in the bank. Magee was Treasurer of the association.

MR. CLEVELAND STILL BETTER

Hope of Moving Him to Princeton as Soon as the Weather Improves.

Special to The New York Times.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., May 7.—Manager Becker of the Lakewood Hotel said to-night, after coming from Mrs. Grover Cleveland, that the entire Cleveland party were in the best spirits and that Mrs. Cleveland had reported the condition of her husband as entirely satisfactory. Unless the unexpected happened, he said, it was expected that Mr. Cleveland would be moved to his Princeton home as soon as the weather conditions became more favorable.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland sent word to this city from Lakewood yesterday morning that the published reports to the effect that Mr. Cleveland had a relapse Wednesday were not true. She says that Mr. Cleveland is resting comfortably and continues to improve.

INDIANA MURDERS LAID TO FANATIC

Theory Advanced That Mrs. Gunness Was Led Into Crime by Sudden Wealth.

TRAIL WIDOW IN ILLINOIS

Police to Dig Up Yard of Her Austin Home—Girl Friend of Lamphere Arrested.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 7.—Mrs. Belle Gunness was a religious fanatic, self-hypnotized into crime—this was the solution of the Laporte horror, so far as motive is concerned, offered by Dr. Charles E. Jones of Austin to-day.

Sudden affluence following the receipt of insurance money on the death of her first husband is also supposed by the physician to have had its effect on a mind already unhinged by religious eccentricities.

Dr. Jones, with Dr. J. B. Miller, was called to attend Mads Sorensen, the woman's first husband, on the day he died on June 30, 1900. He made some remarkable observations at the time.

"If Mrs. Sorensen or Gunness, as she later became, is guilty of the horrible murders," said Dr. Jones at his office, 118 Pine Avenue, Austin, to-day, "I can explain psychologically to my own satisfaction the causes that started her on her terrible work. I remember her well as a religious fanatic type.

"The sudden wealth, comparatively speaking, that came to her at her husband's death I believe may have had for her an irresistible suggestion of the ease with which money might be obtained. In the incident of her husband's death her temptation to commit the alleged atrocities may have had its birth."

Austin Yard to Be Dug Up.

Assistant Police Chief Schuettler announced to-day that the grounds at 620 Alama Street, Austin, occupied by Mrs. Gunness in 1900, would be dug up to-morrow morning on the theory that the woman buried a victim while she was living in Chicago. The Assistant Chief decided to start excavating the yard after a conference with Coroner Hoffman.

The Assistant Chief visited Coroner Hoffman's office, where he conferred with the Coroner and Dr. Harold N. Moyer, a pathologist, regarding the exhumation of the body of Mads Sorenson, the first husband of Mrs. Gunness, and the two small Sorenson children, who died before the husband. Dr. Moyer said that traces of poison would be shown by an examination of the bodies at the present time, unless they had been embalmed with arsenical fluid.

Assistant Chief Schuettler discredited to-day reports that Mrs. Gunness was a sort of clearing house agent for supposed "trunk murderers," who, according to a theory advanced in the excitement following the discovery of many bodies at the Laporte farm, kill their victims in Chicago, cut them up, and ship them out to be buried in Indiana.

"I have looked up a report that there are two trunks in Chicago consigned to Mrs. Gunness," he said. "I do not find the trunks. I think it extremely unlikely that any person would ever try shipping bodies around the country in the manner suggested. Detection would be, you might say, inevitable.

Believe Mrs. Gunness Is Alive.

"I do not believe the Gunness woman is dead. She was too expert a criminal to be caught that way. She may be in Chicago—no one can say."

Mrs. Nellie Larson of 992 North Francisco Avenue, Mrs. Gunness's sister, expressed the belief that the woman is still living.

THEORIES OF THE CRIMES.

One That Mrs. Gunness Was Killed by Chicago Gang.

Special to The New York Times.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 7.—Three days of research into the mystery of the Gunness "murder farm" have yielded nine bodies. The remains of the nine bodies tell no story save that of crime.

To-day's researches revealed no more mysteries at the Gunness farm, and in the absence of actual developments the Laporte officials gave some thought to four probable but widely varying solutions of the mystery which began with the tragedy of April 28, when the home of Mrs. Belle Gunness was burned to ashes, and with it her three children and a woman presumed to be herself.

Lamphere's Friend Arrested.

Bessie Conklin, a young woman residing in Michigan City, Ind., whose former home was in Laporte, has been arrested by Sheriff Smutzer and is being held in jail as an important witness.

The woman was a friend of Ray Lamphere, who is accused of complicity in the murders at the Gunness home. Miss Conklin is not accused of complicity, but her testimony is considered of so great importance that she will remain locked up until the Grand Jury hears her testimony next week. It is said that Lamphere, while talking to Miss Conklin, made threats against Mrs. Gunness, and said that he had information which, if disclosed, would hang Mrs. Gunness.

No one doubted that the woman's body found in the ruins was that of Mrs. Gunness until last Tuesday, when the first of the series of sensational discoveries led to the suspicion that Mrs. Gunness herself was not dead, but that she had cleverly substituted another woman's body for her own and disappeared.

The Roster of Victims.

But for the moment admitting that Mrs. Gunness actually died in the fire which destroyed her own home and children, its roster of victims in this most baffling mystery of crime, counting from April 28 down to to-night, stands:

GUNNESS, Mrs. BELLE, whose headless body was found in the ruins of the Gunness house after the fire on April 28.

SORENSON, MYRTLE, aged 11, daughter of Mrs. Gunness, who also lost her life in the destruction of the residence.

SORENSON, LUCY, aged 9, youngest daughter of Mrs. Gunness, who likewise was burned to death in the fire.

GUNNESS, PHILIP, aged 5, son of Mrs. Gunness, whose burned body was found clasped in the arms of the mother after the destruction of the Gunness house.

HILGELIEN, ANDREW, aged 40, bachelor, Aberdeen, S. D., suitor for Mrs. Gunness's hand, who came to Laporte Jan. 5,

1906, and disappeared three weeks later, after drawing $3,000 from the bank.

OLSON, JENNIE, aged 17, daughter of Anton Olson of Chicago, whom Mrs. Gunness took to rear when 8 years old, and whose body is believed to be one of the four found in one grave in the barnyard.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN, believed by authorities to be Ole Budsberg from Iola, Wis., who came to Laporte about a year ago in answer to a matrimonial advertisement, and who was not seen after drawing $1,000 from the Home Bank.

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UNIDENTIFIED BODY, sex undetermined, dismembered, and found in the same hole.

UNIDENTIFIED BODY, dismembered, supposed to be that of a man from Chicago, found lying face downward in box buried in the barn lot.

UNIDENTIFIED BODY, possibly a man of middle age, recovered from barnyard grave in advanced stage of disinteration.

UNIDENTIFIED BODY, probably a woman, taken with two others from the same crude grave.

And in the light of the developments since last Tuesday the authorities are asking whether two more victims of the woman will not be found in Chicago, namely:

SORENSON, MADS, first husband of the woman who died under mysterious circumstances in Chicago, believed to have been poisoned, but nothing was ever proved.

GUNNESS, PHILIP, second husband of the woman, died at the house of mystery about four years ago as a result of the skull being fractured with a meat chopper which fell from a shelf.

Four Theories of the Crimes.

The bodies here in Laporte and a mass of circumstantial evidence, combined with a score of suspicious circumstances, afford the basis upon which the authorities have built up four theories to account for a series of crimes which have startled the whole country. These are:

Theory No. 1—That Mrs. Gunness, fearing exposure of her long murderous career, killed her three children and herself, setting fire to the house to conceal crime; supported by circumstantial identification of body as hers, and reception of letter just before tragedy making her fear for life and withdraw money from bank.

Theory No. 2—That Mrs. Gunness, fearing exposure, fled after killing children, putting body of another woman in house to mislead authorities; head of body identified as hers not found.

Theory No. 3—That Ray Lamphere, her farmhand, did the killing from double motive of revenge and jealousy; was seen near house just before the fatal fire, and when told of it asked if woman and children escaped; also Mrs. Gunness had caused his arrest several times.

Theory No. 4—That quadruple crime was committed by a murderous gang with headquarters in Chicago, fearing exposure by Mrs. Gunness of long series of murders and fires for insurance and money of victims, she being used as decoy through matrimonial advertisements; supported by shipping of mysterious trunks and boxes to her farm from Chicago.

Mystery of the Headless Body.

Is Mrs. Gunness alive?

The Laporte authorities are not agreed upon their answers. There is, first of all, the mystery of the headless body supposed to be that of the woman. A careful search of the ruins has failed to reveal a trace of the head. How could the woman's head have been totally incinerated and the body left intact? Besides, Mrs. Gunness had one strong means of identification. Her upper set of teeth were heavily plated with gold; in fact, almost entirely covered, the dentist using something like $300 worth of the precious metal.

Seven gold watches were found in the ruins little harmed by the flames, and the authorities say that if they did not suffer from the heat the gold on the woman's teeth would also have been unharmed. In order to be certain that the gold is not in the ruins, Sheriff Smutzer to-day ordered the searchers to get sieves and sift all of the ashes in the ruins.

Convinced She Killed Husbands.

The Laporte authorities are firmly convinced that Mrs. Gunness murdered her two husbands. Chief of Police Cockran said to-day that a week before the Gunness home was burned little Myrtle Gunness, one of the supposed victims of the fire, called one of her playmates aside and, after binding her to secrecy, told her that her mother had murdered her father.

"We have the little girl who was told this," said the Chief to-day, "but owing to the family's desire for no publicity, we will keep her name a secret."

The Chief said that Myrtle called the little girl aside, and whispered: "If you won't tell anybody, I will tell you a secret," and upon being promised that the secret would be kept, said:

"My mamma killed my papa. She hit him with a meat cleaver and he died."

Harry Wood, a young carpenter who lives with his parents on a farm a mile north of the Gunness home, said to-day that one week before the fire Mrs. Gunness gave Lamphere $25 and told him to have his life insured.

"Instead of doing that," said Mr. Wood, "Lamphere went down town and bought a suit of clothes. The Sunday before the fire the woman was looking everywhere for him and was heard to say that she would fix him."

But whatever her motive something transpired just before April 28 that led Mrs. Gunness either to take her own life and that of her children or to murder her children and flee, leaving another woman's body to be taken for her own. On this point Joseph Maxon, her hired man, said to-day:

Frightened at Investigation.

"I was sent to the Post Office by Mrs. Gunness on the Monday before the fire. That is the only time I was ever sent there for the mail. I got several letters. I took them out to the place and gave them to Mrs. Gunness. She opened one of them and a look of terror spread over her face when she read it. She muttered something about a man coming to investigate the disappearance of his brother. She grew hysterical and I heard her say:

"They are coming to look for Helgelein. They are going to find out what became of him."

"All that day she was in a state of nervous frenzy, and the result was that fire destroyed her home and burned up herself and her children."

What the authorities have declared was an attempt to disturb the nine bodies dug up on the Gunness farm so that identification of the remains would be impossible, was made early this afternoon. Two men, whose identity is not known, broke into the carriage house of the farm, where the bodies have been placed, but were driven away by a watchman before they could do any harm.

The day watchman at the farm of Daniel M. Heston, said that the men asserted they were doctors, and had attempted to justify their presence on the place on professional grounds. He ordered them from the premises, but they refused to go until they learned that Joseph Manson, Mrs. Gunness's man of all work, had been sent to summon the Sheriff. The men gained entrance to the carriage house by placing a ladder on the building and forcing open a window.

Matt and Oscar H. Budsberg of Iola, Wis., sons of Ole B. Budsberg, whose disappearance from the Gunness farm is one of the mysteries of the case, arrived here this afternoon. They brought with them photographs of their father and information concerning his movements before his departure from Iola.

Former Employe Became Suspicious.

To-day developments all tended to fasten the guilt upon the memory of the dead woman. The digging for more bodies which may possibly be hidden on the Gunness farm was not resumed because of the rain. All that developed therefore were mere sidelights on the crime. One of these came in a story told by Miss Anna Copeland, a dressmaker of Laporte, who told the authorities that her father, who formerly worked for Mrs. Gunness, left her employ because of his suspicions that "something was wrong" with her.

"My father," she said, "who is now in the West, worked for Mrs. Gunness before Lamphere did. He quit because he became suspicious of her. Oftentimes at night Mrs. Gunness would rouse my father out of bed, and make him sleep in the stable.

"On these occasions she would tell him that she needed the room for visitors from Chicago. My father never saw these visitors, and when he was forced to sleep in the stable he always told me that Mrs. Gunness was up late, and he heard strange noises."

Postponement of Grand Jury action on the case against Roy Lamphere, acoused of first degree murder in connection with the burning of Mrs. Bella Gunness and her three children, was decided upon tonight at a conference of officials of Laporte County. The action was taken on the advice of C. J. Smith, a Chicago detective, who was called here by the local authorities to aid them in solving the mystery of the nine bodies dug up on the Gunness farm this week.

While Ralph N. Smith, Prosecutor of the County, had said in the afternoon that he was ready to proceed before the Grand Jury which had been scheduled to meet next Monday, new evidence unearthed to-day led, however, to the change in plans.

LETTER FROM MRS. GUNNESS.

Widow Described Her Farm to Carl Petersen of Waupaca, Wis.

WAUPACA, Wis., May 7.—The letter which Carl Petersen of Waupaca received from Mrs. Belle Gunness, the alleged Laporte murderess, has been translated from Norwegian into English. It says in part:

Carl Petersen, Waupaca, Wis.:

Dear Sir: As some time ago I received from you a letter in answer to my "ad" in The Scandinavian, I will with pleasure answer the same.

The reason I waited for some time is that there has been other answers to the "ad." As many as fifty have been received, and it has been impossible to answer all. I have picked out the most respectable, and I have decided that yours is such.

First, I will tell you that I am a Norwegian and have been in this country for twenty years. I live in Indiana, about fifty-nine miles from Chicago, and one mile north of Laporte. I am the sole owner of a nice home, pretty location.

There are seventy-five acres of land, also all kinds of crops, improved land, apples, plums, and currants. Am on a boulevard road and have a twelve-room house, practically new, a windmill, and all modern improvements, situated in a beautiful suburb of Chicago, worth about $15,000.

All of this is pretty near paid for. It is in my own name. I am alone with three small children, from 5 to 11 years old. The smallest is a little boy. The largest are girls, all frisky and well. I lost my husband by accident five years ago and have since tried to get along as well as I could with what help I could hire. I am getting tired of this and I have found that it is not well to trust others with so much.

Now, if you think that you are able in some way to put up $1,000 cash we can talk matters over personally. If you cannot, is it worth while to consider? I would not care for you as a hired man, as I am tired of that and need a little rest in my home and near my children. I will close for this time.

The letter is signed Mrs. P. S. Gunness, Laporte, Ind.

Prof. Bailey's Yale Students Here.

Prof. William B. Bailey, who occupies the Chair of Sociology at Yale University, led his annual pilgrimage of students to this city yesterday. There are 100 in the party this year. They spent the day in visiting the Morgue, the City Hospital, the Penitentiary, and the Metropolitan Hospital on Blackwell's Island, and the State Hospital for the Insane on Ward's Island, ending with a dinner at Mills Hotel No. 3. To-day the party will visit the Educational Alliance, the University Settlement, and Ellis Island, returning to New Haven at night.

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SUBWAY TRAINS FAIL IN BAD STORM

Signal System Breaks Down Under the River and Traffic Is Blocked for an Hour.

STATIONS BADLY CROWDED

Two Cars Derailed on Sixth Avenue Elevated by Spreading Rails—Passengers on Both Lines in a Panic.

While a forty-four-mile nor'easter was howling through the canyons of the financial district at going-home time last evening, driving before it a downpour that defied umbrellas and soaked all but the most impervious style of raincoats, something went wrong with the elaborate signal system in the East River tunnel and Manhattan-Brooklyn Subway traffic practically went out of business for an hour or so.

For forty minutes trains were at a standstill in the under-river section, and after that they moved at a snail's pace, depending upon their whistles as signals to prevent collisions. Thousands of Brooklynites and Harlemites were held up at Bowling Green, Fulton Street, and other Subway stations downtown. In Brooklyn the Atlantic Avenue, Nevins Street, Hoyt Street, and Borough Hall stations became crowded with fretting passengers anxious to get to Manhattan. Traffic over the Brooklyn Bridge was heavier than it has been since the tunnel opened.

Within a few minutes the crowd was so great that ropes had to be stretched at the Fulton Street Station to keep the passengers from being pushed on to the tracks. At points above the stations were badly congested. Soon afterward, however, express trains were ordered switched at Brooklyn Bridge, and conditions above that point began to improve.

It was 5:08 o'clock when the signal system got out of order at Bowling Green. When it was found that it could not be operated properly, all trains in the tube and on the MBrooklyn side were brought to a standstill. Traffic to and from South Ferry was also interfered with, and for more than two hours, or until after 7 o'clock, travel on the entire subway system in Manhattan was affected.

The elevated also had its troubles yesterday, but earlier a tie-up on the Sixth Avenue Elevated line stopped all uptown traffic over the road for more than two hours in the morning. The block was caused by two cars of a seven-car train leaving the tracks about 100 feet north of the Bleecker Street station. As the cars pounded over the ties the passengers made a rush for the doors. Guards prevented a panic, and finally several trains which drew up behind the blocked one were brought together so that the passengers could walk through them to the station.

The accident was due to the new tracks which have been laid at that point. In some way the rails spread. Downtown traffic was not delayed, as Sixth Avenue trains were sent north again on the Ninth Avenue tracks after reaching the South Ferry terminal.

BIGGEST RAINFALL IN YEARS.

Wind 44 Miles an Hour—Bad Time Here in the Nor'easter.

The Weather Bureau records show that New York got more rain yesterday than has come here in the same period of time since 1903. On Oct. 8 and 9 of that year nine inches of water poured down on the city. In the twelve hours from 8 A. M. yesterday to 8 o'clock last night nearly three and one-half inches of rain fell, and last night's intermittent downfall ran the record up to at least four inches. And with this came a forty-four-mile gale.

A nor'easter has been coming to town from the Mississippi Valley for several days. It has been all over the South and Middle West. On Wednesday it shoved its advance guard across the Bronx River. Less than an inch of rain fell, however, and the wind was only breezy.

Yesterday morning things began to hum. The wind rose to the dignity of a gale, which is nearly fifty miles an hour. Shortly after 8 o'clock the rain began to come down in floods. It continued all through the day, holding up for a minute or two at intervals during the afternoon. The wind never let up.

Work had to be called off in the new subway that is to connect the bridges. The workmen near Centre, Canal, and Walker Streets had to climb out of the hole early in the afternoon. It will require a good deal of pumping to make the subway extension habitable for workmen after the wind and rain have gone on.

Fourteen inches of rain accumulated in the Pocahontas cut, in which are many New York Central & Hudson River Railroad tracks, connecting the Oak Point and Melrose freight yards, in the Bronx, last night, preventing its use. This short line is used wholly for freight, but traffic in it was stopped because the drains could not carry off the rainfall.

The storm was reported last night as having two centres—one over Indiana and the other over New Jersey. The New Jersey centre is near enough to get New York into trouble, and the weather man talks of more rain and wind to-day, and perhaps to-morrow, too.

DAMAGE ON JERSEY COAST.

High Waves Carry Away Bulkheads and Bluffs at Long Branch.

Special to The New York Times.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., May 7.—Bulkheads and jetties were wrecked and the bluff in many places damaged in a fierce northeaster which swept the coast to-day. The waves ran like mountains. No damage was wrought till late this afternoon, when the seas undermined the new bulkhead on Ocean Avenue at the foot of Sea View Avenue, tearing away fifty feet of it. The piling that once held the old theatre of the Pier Casino was swept into the sea, carrying with it the flooring which the city had expected to utilize.

The embankment in front of the Surf House was washed away for a considerable depth. The bulkheads in front of the Curtis estate at West End were also swept away. At North Long Branch, where the city is erecting a new bulkhead, another big slice of the bluff went into the sea. All the pound fishermen suffered a loss of nets.

The storm at Seabright was particularly severe, carrying away the new jetty in front of the Packer cottage and damaging many of the new bulkheads.

3, DRIFTING TO SEA, RESCUED.

Tug Takes Semi-Conscious Men from Disabled Launch Off Stapleton.

Three men were rescued yesterday morning while being carried out to sea in a disabled launch, by Capt. L. D. Potter of the tugboat Reliance, and later in the day carried to Stapleton. Two of the men were in a semi-conscious condition from exposure when rescued.

The men are John and William Schmidt, brothers, and Charles Schroeder, all of New Brunswick, N. J. They put out in their naphtha launch from Shad Creek, L. I., Wednesday at midnight, intending to return to New Brunswick. Everything went well until they reached the lower bay, when the continual pounding of the heavy sea put their engine out of gear. The boat was being carried rapidly oceanward when Capt. Potter sighted them.

Tramp Through Rain in Richmond.

Richmond Borough was hard hit by the storm. The trolley service was practically paralyzed when business men wanted to get home, and they had to tramp through the teeming rain or hire cabs at ruinous rates. Telephone communication was almost cut off and wires hung down in all directions. Many small craft were strewn along the beaches, and all the ships in the bay had double anchors out.

JEROME GOT THOMAS TO CHANGE LAWYERS

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the time being, and Mr. Untermyer soon afterward went to Europe.

After the party conventions had been held, Mr. Jerome said, he received a cable from Mr. Untermyer saying that he was prepared to make good on his promise, but Mr. Jerome said he thought it might be a bluff. After Mr. Untermyer's return from Europe in August there was another conversation, at which he asked who was the campaign treasurer and was told that it was Howard Gans. Mr. Jerome said that Mr. Gans told him that Mr. Untermyer had asked how the campaign was getting on and was told that $1,000 could be put to good use. This sum was received, and later Mr. Untermyer wanted to make it $25,000, but Mr. Gans limited the total contribution after consultation with Mr. Jerome to $5,000, and accordingly a $4,000 check in addition was received.

Mr. Jerome also told for the first time yesterday his version of the arrest of Deputy Attorney General Nathan Vidaver on charges of extortion arranged between the District Attorney's office, ex-Assistant District Attorney Howard S. Gans, and William M. Montgomery, then under indictment, whom Mr. Gans represented. Mr. Jerome said that Mr. Gans asked him if he would lunch with Mr. Montgomery, and he did so at a downtown restaurant. Commissioner Hand asked Mr. Pierce how he considers this evidence material in view of the fact that the Montgomery-Vidaver case was not set up in the charges.

"I introduce it to impeach his credibility as a witness," said Mr. Pierce.

"He wants to make him out a liar," explained Assistant District Attorney Isidor Kresel, who had been a good deal in evidence in the hearings.

"Sit down, you talk too much," said Commissioner Hand sharply to Mr. Kresel, and the Assistant District Attorney subsided.

Mr. Jerome went on to say that Mr. Montgomery told him that he had been "jobbed" by the Attorney General or his deputies, and wanted to give some information.

"He then said that Vidaver had tried to shake him down," continued Mr. Jerome. "He said, 'I can get him with the goods on; I can put the money right at him.' I said it couldn't be done, that it would be too raw, and Mr. Montgomery said, 'You've no idea how raw that bunch is. These people will take anything that's loose.'

The Arrest of Vidaver.

"Well, I didn't have any idea that anybody would be caught with marked money, and what I wanted to do was to commit this lawyer Grossman to some version of the situation, so that he could not modify his testimony to suit the conditions afterward. So that was why I sent a stenographer and two of my men up to Mr. Montgomery's house to take down the conversation there. I didn't know that the arrest was coming off until about noon the next day, when Peter Beery, one of my men, telephoned me that they had made an arrangement to meet Vidaver at the Astor House, and would get him with the money. I asked Beery if he was sure they had a good case, and he said he was. Then at five minutes of 1 o'clock, the other man I sent, Flood, telephoned from the Postal Building that they were on their way, and wanted to know if he should make the arrest. I said to make an arrest if he had a good case, and that was the last I knew until Vidaver was brought into my office."

"Do you approve of those methods?" asked Mr. Pierce.

"I did not know the details of this matter," replied Mr. Jerome, "but if it is possible to get a grafting Deputy Attorney General in that way trying to shake people down, I certainly think it is all right."

Mr. Pierce attacked Mr. Jerome on the letters which President Oler of the American Ice Company wrote to different agents of that corporation in the Summer of 1906, when there was a Grand Jury investigation of the Ice Trust on, the minutes of which are in evidence. Mr. Jerome said that he did not remember having seen Mr. Oler prior to his being called before the Grand Jury, and then Mr. Pierce read from a letter which the Ice Trust President wrote on the eve of the investigation.

"I have just got back from a long talk with Mr. Jerome. He appears to me to be a calm, sane man, who approaches the matter in a businesslike way.

Mr. Jerome then said he supposed he must have had such a talk with Mr. Oler.

"How did Mr. Oler know before the Grand Jury reported that his company wasn't going to be indicted?" demanded Mr. Pierce.

"I don't know that he did have any such information," replied Mr. Jerome.

Then Mr. Pierce read from another letter of Aug. 9:

I came away from the Grand Jury room feeling that I had thoroughly convinced the members of the good faith of our company. We are not yet through here in New York, because the District Attorneys of Kings and Queens are likely to bring matters before their Grand Juries, and we are not likely to find them as broad-gauged as Mr. Jerome. They are more likely to indict us without giving us a chance to tell our side of the case.

"You and Mr. Oler were on pretty good terms," commented Mr. Pierce. Mr. Jerome subsequently explained that he presented to that Grand Jury all of the evidence on the subject of ice that he knew of, and that the reason why the evidence was mostly against independent companies was that the trust had taken the opportunity to crush out independents by refusing to go into an agreement to raise prices and then had given the facts to the Grand Jury.

Mr. Pierce closed the matter by reading from another letter in which Mr. Oler had said, speaking of the pursuit of the Independents, that Mr. Jerome was "pressing it very assiduously."

Mr. Pierce and Mr. Jerome spent a good deal of time yesterday discussing Mr. Jerome's theory that no campaign contributions and no syndicate transactions could be considered criminal, Mr. Pierce insisting that circumstances governed in individual cases, as, for instance, in one of the old Equitable syndicates passed up by Mr. Jerome, in which the company paid all the money on a participation in a C. B. & Q. bond underwriting, received the check for the profits and then a number of individuals split up $18,000 out of this sum on the theory that part of the company's participation had been taken in their interest. In the Perkins campaign contribution case, Mr. Pierce laid stress on the proposition that Mr. Jerome bound himself to accepting the theory that Mr. Perkins had no criminal intent by incorporating into the record sent to the Court of Appeals a letter from Mr. Perkins in which this allegation was made.

Mr. Jerome added yesterday some expressions of personal esteem for individuals who have come within the scope of his attentions within the last few years to those which he had made earlier in the hearings.

Friendly with Traction Men.

Mr. Pierce had been speaking of the traction financiers who came before the Grand Jury, and remarked, after Mr. Jerome had told of his negotiations with some of them to obtain their attendance:

"The fact is that you were personally on pretty good terms with these men."

"There is no reason why I shouldn't be," replied Mr. Jerome.

"And Mr. Ryan frequently calls at your office?"

"No."

"He did come there the day after the Grand Jury presentment?"

"Yes," Mr. Jerome said.

"And you dine with his son, Allan Ryan?"

"No," said Mr. Jerome. "I never dined with Allan Ryan. I have joined Allan and his wife at table in Martin's and Sherry's, and I think he is a fine young man."

This was Mr. Jerome's estimate of William C. Whitney:

"Whatever faults Mr. Whitney may have had, I don't think that anybody can accuse him of being a dishonest man. Nobody who knew Whitney's character or life would ever suggest that he was a man who would steal anything."

Mr. Jerome's tribute to George W. Perkins was as follows: "I believed then (at the time of the Perkins campaign contribution case) as I believe now, that George Perkins is an honorable man; he is an honest man and he is a truthful man."

At one stage of yesterday's proceedings Mr. Pierce remarked that the repayment of Mr. Perkins for the $50,000 campaign contribution was concealed in the books of the Hanover Bank Building office of the New York Life, where the transactions of Andrew Hamilton were hidden. Mr. Jerome interrupted:

"You can't point to a single crooked thing that Hamilton did. What's the use of defaming the memory of a dead man?"

Mr. Pierce remarked that he guessed he wouldn't take his views of ethics from Mr. Jerome and the incident closed.

It is probable that the hearings, with the exception of summing up arguments, will be concluded to-day.

Edward Lauterbach was not at home last night, but his son Alfred said of the criticism of the District Attorney:

"While Edward Lauterbach was the attorney of record in that case, I handled all of the work, and always appeared in it, so I am rather inclined to think that Mr. Jerome's criticism was intended for me. I can say with pleasure that I heartily reciprocate Mr. Jerome's sentiments. I would like to add, however, that this criticism is clearly based on animus because of a decision of the Court of Appeals which severely censured Mr. Jerome for his action in trying to obtain the books of Klaw & Erlanger through a procedure of which the court did not approve, and which it said looked very much like using the court for private ends. If, however, Mr. Jerome has any evidence that I have ever broken my word in all my life I would like very much to see it."

JEROME'S TILT WITH BRADY.

How the District Attorney Questioned Traction Magnate Before Grand Jury.

Testimony given by Anthony N. Brady before the November Grand Jury, which started an inquiry into traction matters, revealed by an examination of the minutes of that body, shows that at times District Attorney Jerome came into rather sharp conflict with the financiers whom he called to the witness stand.

Mr. Brady, when he took the stand, professed willingness to tell what he knew about the Wall and Cortlandt Street Ferries Railway transaction, but wasn't prepared to agree to release his lawyers from any claim to professional privilege. Mr. Jerome also had a sharp passage with Thomas F. Ryan on this same proposition, in connection with the refusal of Paul D. Cravath, Mr. Ryan's counsel, to tell of conversations he had had with Mr. Ryan about the matter.

When Mr. Brady was on the stand Mr. Jerome said to him:

"And when I ask you if you are willing that your lawyers should also tell us all about this, you say you don't know.

"Now, what inference are we to draw from that? The public generally, from the minutes of this testimony, believe that you and Ryan and Whitney and this outfit were in cahoots, and in some way got about $700,000 of the Metropolitan Securities money. You are practically, every one of you, under suspicion and accused of being thieves, and yet when you come here, the first opportunity you have to vindicate your reputation as honest and honorable men, you profess a great desire to tell us everything, profess to have great confidence in the integrity and truthfulness of your lawyers, and then you say you don't know whether you can permit them to tell us about these transactions. Now, we cannot draw but one inference from that, that you gentlemen, being interested, want to give a particular version of this, but your lawyers might want to give a different."

"If they have no objection I wouldn't have," Mr. Brady said, "but I want to consult them first."

Subsequently, after Mr. Brady had explained that he received the check for $965,000, which the Metropolitan Securities Company paid for the Wall and Cortlandt Street Ferries Road, without knowing what it stood for, and sent out the five checks for $111,000 each to Messrs. Ryan, Widener, Whitney, Dolan, and Elkins, and one for about $137,000 to the brokerage firm of Moore & Schley in accordance with an attached memorandum, Mr. Jerome said to him:

"What strikes me as peculiar about this transaction is this: You are out of your office and have agreed to sell the railroad for $250,000. In your absence a check comes in for $1,000,000, and you get back to your office and, apparently without any particular inquiry or anything else about it, you simply sit down and draw checks for three times the amount of the purchase price of the road, distributing it around among a lot of people, and make no inquiry of what the check was you received, whose money it was you were cutting up in this way; it strikes a person that that is a very funny method of doing business."

ELEVATED STATION TO STAY.

Utilities Board Decides Against Moving One from Rivington to Delancey St.

At an adjourned hearing before the Public Service Commission yesterday on the question of whether the Rivington Street station of the Second Avenue elevated line should be moved to Delancey Street it was made evident that the commission will not order the company to make the change.

President Bryan of the Interborough testified that the erection of a new station would probably cost $80,000, in addition to the damages paid abutting property owners. He said, too, that the spacing of the stations on the line had been carefully done, and that the moving of the station would upset calculations. Finally Commissioner Eustis said:

"It would appear that the only demand for a station at Delancey Street which should be seriously considered is from persons who use the Williamsburg Bridge. In view of the expense that would be involved I do not see that such an order as is suggested would be justified."

MASONIC CORNERSTONE LAID.

Rain Falls to Prevent the Ceremony—New Officers Installed.

In the rain yesterday afternoon the cornerstone of the addition to the Masonic Hall in Twenty-fourth Street, near Sixth Avenue, was laid in the presence of the representatives of the 700 lodges in New York.

Townsend Scudder, retiring Grand Master of the State of New York, laid the stone with a silver trowel presented by Pyramid Lodge of New York City. Records of the Grand Lodge, copies of Masonic publications, and coins and medals were sealed up inside the stone.

BLAME GLADIATOR'S CAPTAIN.

St. Paul's Passengers Say He Was Responsible for Collision with Them.

Thirty first-class passengers, seventy second class, and many in the steerage who were on the American liner St. Paul when, on April 25, she collided with the British cruiser Gladiator off the Isle of Wight, arrived yesterday on the White Star liner Teutonic with additional details of the disaster which resulted in the loss of a number of the cruiser's crew.

According to A. H. Lahens of New York, who was on the St. Paul, the sentiment is that the commander of the cruiser was to blame.

On the Teutonic came Col. M. B. Buford, retired, of Erie, Penn., who brought home the body of his wife who died recently in Paris.

The most popular passenger was two-year-old Wilford Stevens, who made the trip from South Africa alone. The lad was on the St. Paul. He was transferred to the Teutonic. At the pier he was met by his father, who resides at Southampton, L. I. The boy's mother died in Africa.

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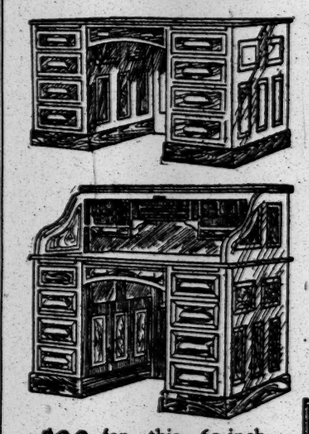

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'UNSAFE' SCHOOLS KEEP OPEN

Board of Education Not to Act on Recommendations of Fire Department.

Although greatly surprised at the report of the Fire Battalion Chiefs, recommending the closing of thirteen school buildings as unsafe, it is practically certain that neither the Board of Education nor Supt. Maxwell, who is invested with such authority, will order any of the buildings closed between now and the end of the present session, little more than a month away.

Superintendent of School Buildings Snyder, who is away at present, has all along declared that the scare over the condition of the schools was a case of "hysteria," but before leaving the city he instructed his Deputy Superintendents to make a thorough inspection of every building under suspicion and to report necessary changes to make them safe. Supt. Maxwell also had his District Superintendents make an independent inspection which covered the entire city. All of these reports are now in the hands of the department of school buildings, and contracts will soon be let for the necessary changes.

The Board of Aldermen voted Tuesday to give the department $1,000,000 for such alterations, and as soon as this money is made available by the signature of the Mayor, the department will put the work in the hands of the contractors. All that is regarded as necessary cannot be done, for $4,000,000 was asked for this work.

SCHOOL SHAKE-UP COMING.

Supt. Maxwell Planning a Change in Committees of Superintendents.

A shake-up in the Standing Committees of the Board of Superintendents of Schools will follow the recent installation of Associate City Superintendent George S. Davis as President of the Normal College. While Supt. Maxwell has not yet announced the rearrangement of his staff, it is understood that Associate Superintendent Andrew W. Edson, now Chairman of the Committee on Course of Study, will succeed Mr. Davis as Chairman of the Committee on Nomination, Transfer, and Assignment, which is considered the most important of all the board's executive bodies.

It is also quite likely that Supt. Gustave Straubenmuller will succeed Mr. Edson at the head of the Committee on Course of Study. The new man, or possibly the new woman, on the board, who will be elected next Wednesday by the Board of Education, will probably be appointed to this committee.

Candidates for this vacancy on the Board of Superintendents have carried on a vigorous contest. The position pays $6,500 a year. The candidates include every District Superintendent in the city. Those most prominently spoken of are Supt. John Dwyer, W. J. O'Shea, M. T. Elgas, E. D. Shimer, J. W. Davis, Albert Shiels, E. D. Stitt, and C. E. Franklin, Miss Julia Richman, Miss Grace Strachan, and Miss Evangeline R. Whitney.

The knowing ones say the promotion will fall either to Mr. Dwyer or to Mr. O'Shea, with a good fighting chance for Mr. Elgas. District Superintendents get $5,000 a year.

Payne Whitney Held for Auto Speeding

Charged with violating the automobile speed law in Ryder's Lane, near King's Highway, Brooklyn, Payne Whitney was yesterday held in $150 bail for the action of the Court of Special Sessions, in the Flatbush Court. Mr. Whitney was arrested on Tuesday while on his way to the Whitney stables at Sheepshead Bay. He waived examination.

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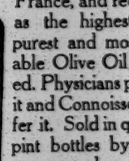

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Massachusetts for Nebraskan, That "a United Party Might Elect Him President."

KENTUCKY IS FOR TAFT

Utah Republicans Declare for Roosevelt for First Choice and Taft for Second — Delegates Uninstructed.

The Massachusetts Democratic Convention yesterday instructed its delegates for William J. Bryan, that "a united party might elect him President."

The Kentucky Republican Convention instructed its delegates for Secretary Taft.

Utah Republicans declared Roosevelt to be their first choice and Taft second for the Presidential nomination.

MASSACHUSETTS FOR BRYAN.

Delegates Instructed That "a United Party Might Elect Nebraskan."

BOSTON, May 7.—The Democratic State Convention, held here to-day, was thrown into confusion over the question of adopting resolutions instructing the delegates at large to vote for William J. Bryan for President and whether the delegates should be elected by acclamation.

The Committee on Resolutions was in session for many hours and did not come to a decision on the Bryan question until some time after the hour for the convention to meet had passed. As finally accepted by the committee, the resolutions instructed the delegates to vote for Bryan to the end that a united party might elect him President.

The resolutions as presented to the convention were declared adopted by the Chairman, but the action was doubted. A motion to reconsider was jeered and ridiculed and was not submitted to the assembly.

The proposition to elect the delegates at large by acclamation was discussed at length and with considerable heat. Finally Chairman Stimson announced that the convention would take a roll call on the question whether the four delegates at large should be thus elected.

Great confusion resulted and Chairman Stimson called upon the policemen on duty in the hall to assist in clearing the platform of those who were participating in the disturbance.

The motion to elect the ticket by acclamation was carried by a vote of 408 to 152. The convention then elected George Fred Williams of Dedham, John B. Moran of Boston, Daniel F. Doherty of Westfield, and John W. Coughlan of Fall River.

J. P. Kane of Lawrence, William A. Davenport of Greenfield, Thomas P. Kenny of Boston, and Edward W. Gallagher of Lowell were elected alternates at large.

The platform declares in part:

For a Government restored to the service of the people, devoted to all the people, and opposed to privilege; the master, not the servant, of predatory wealth.

Corporations forbidden the issue of watered stocks, forfeiting charters for political contribution; if foreign, subject to jurisdiction of State courts.

Railroads restricted to fair profits on fair valuation, restrained from discrimination by imprisonment of officials.

Monopolies, if public, brought under rigid public control; if private, destroyed.

A fiscal policy of a tariff for revenue only; a free list for trust controlled products; income and inheritance taxes graded and enforced.

A foreign policy of independence to the Philippines; American leadership in arbitration, and disarmament.

Constitutional requirements preventing encroachments by the Executive upon co-ordinate branches; restraining invasion of State rights by National authority; that laws be declared unconstitutional only by Supreme Courts; for election of United States Senators by the people.

Legislation for a general parcels post; prohibition of gambling in necessities of life.

Public improvements of public lands through irrigation, reclamation, and forestry; promotion in waterway highways, canals, and parks; relieving the disemployed by public works.

Labor protection by the eight-hour law; jury trials for contempts in labor injunctions; public investigation and conciliation of strikes and lockouts; abolition of the fellow-servant rule; like rules of competition to labor and capital; abolition of child labor.

A united party to elect William J. Bryan President of the United States.

To this end we in Faneuil Hall assembled instruct the four delegates elected in this convention to cast their votes in the National Convention for William Jennings Bryan.

Each of the brief declarations of the platform was cheered, and at the conclusion three cheers were given for William J. Bryan.

TAFT WINS IN KENTUCKY.

Fairbanks Men Are Beaten and Delegates Instructed for Secretary.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 7.—At to-day's session of the Kentucky Republican Convention, after hours of disorder, wire-pulling, and suspense, the Taft men finally won, and elected the following delegates at large, instructed for the Secretary of War: Gov. E. A. Willson, Louisville; Judge A. R. Burnam, Richmond; W. Marshall Bullitt, Louisville; E. D. Lane, (colored,) Louisville. A resolution instructing for Taft was adopted.

When the Fairbanks men were apparently hopelessly beaten, United States Senator-elect William O. Bradley, the leader of the Fairbanks forces, made a plea for party harmony and submission to the will of the majority.

UTAH'S CHOICE, ROOSEVELT.

Taft Second Choice of Republican Convention—Delegates Uninstructed.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 7.—National issues figured but slightly at the Republican Convention to-day. The 473 delegates cheered mightily at a resolution declaring President Roosevelt the first choice for the Presidential nomination and William H. Taft second choice; they cheered again when the report of the Platform Committee advocated protective tariff, ship subsidies, a greater navy, with four more battleships, a Department of Mines and Mining, the "reform measures" urged upon Congress by President Roosevelt, and postal savings banks.

But when D. O. Rideout, a Salt Lake County delegate, offered a resolution authorizing the Republican State Nominating Convention next Fall to nominate a candidate for Senator, harmony disappeared and an acrimonious fight began.

The nomination of a Senator in this manner has been urged by a faction of the party composed chiefly of Gentiles and nicknamed "The Insurgents." It has been opposed by Senator Smoot and others in control of the regular organization. The regulars have maintained that the movement was hostile to Senator Smoot, whose term expires next Spring.

The speeches, virtually all of them, were in favor of the resolution, but the votes in like proportion were against it.

The delegates to the Chicago convention are Senators Reed Smoot and George Sutherland, Congressman Joseph Howell, W. D. Livingston, Dr. C. N. Wilson and C. E. Loose.

The delegation is uninstructed.

BRYAN FIGHTS IN MINNESOTA.

Defeated Campaign Managers Talk of Calling a Separate Convention.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 7.—Managers of William J. Bryan's campaign in Minnesota, who were outgeneraled in last night's Democratic primaries throughout the State, are talking to-day of the possibility of calling a separate convention May 14.

The Bryan delegates will attend the county conventions Saturday, and if they obtain no recognition there they will immediately withdraw and hold separate conventions to select delegates to the State Convention.

COUNTESS IN OHIO POLITICS.

Lady Warwick to Aid Socialist—Mrs. Longworth on Other Side.

Special to The New York Times.

BELLEFONTAINE, Ohio, May 7.—The Countess of Warwick, one of the most famous of English Socialists, will make twelve speeches in the Eighth Ohio Congressional District this Fall, according to the announcement of C. E. Wharton, the wealthy Socialist nominee, who has been in correspondence with the Countess.

Congressman Ralph D. Cole, the Republican candidate for a third term, has secured a pledge from Congressman Nicholas Longworth that he will stump the district in his behalf.

Mr. Longworth has promised to bring along his wife, so that in a certain sense the fight in the district will be between two famous women, the charm and prestige of the President's daughter being opposed to the oratory of the English Countess. Congressman Longworth says that his wife will make no speeches.

MOVE TO EXCULPATE HANSEN.

Counsel for Accused Lawyer Argues That Evidence Is Insufficient.

John F. McIntyre, counsel for Carl Fischer-Hansen, the lawyer accused of extorting $15,000 from Joseph E. O'Brien of Philadelphia, asked Judge Rosalsky in General Sessions yesterday to dismiss the indictment against his client on the ground that insufficient evidence had been adduced before the Grand Jury to maintain an indictment, and that much of the evidence presented was illegal and improper.

Mr. McIntyre said that the indictment charged that Fischer-Hansen obtained the money by threatening to accuse O'Brien of a serious crime. He argued that the passing of the money was merely a settlement of a claim made by Antony Macaluso, an Italian boy, and that it had always been the privilege of lawyers to settle such matters out of court.

As to extortion, he said that O'Brien himself made the first offer of settlement by calling up Fischer-Hansen on the telephone; that he later called on him with F. M. O'Brien, a friend, and that then Fischer-Hansen had told him of letters written by him to Macaluso and of a diary kept by Macaluso, which Fischer-Hansen said, if presented to the District Attorney's office, would lead to O'Brien's conviction.

Assistant District Attorney Smythe was present, and responded briefly. He will submit a brief to the court on Tuesday. Mr. McIntyre filed his yesterday.

Office for a Ten Eyck Man.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 7.—State Engineer Skene to-day appointed John W. Dalton of this city, a Ten Eyck man, as his confidential stenographer at a salary of $1,200 to succeed John J. Murphy. This is the first fulfillment of the promise of patronage made by Chairman William J. Conners to Jacob L. Ten Eyck for his opposition to Patrick E. McCabe.

CHARGE CASHIER TOOK $469,000 FROM BANK

Official of Allegheny National of Pittsburg Is Placed Under Arrest.

WAS A "POLITICAL" BANK

Headquarters of Republican Leaders of Pittsburg — Man Arrested Was Quay's Confidential Agent.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURG, Penn., May 7.—William Montgomery, cashier of the Allegheny National Bank, known for a quarter of a century as the headquarters of the Republican politicians of this city, was arrested this afternoon charged with embezzling $469,000 from that institution. The information was made by Bank Examiner William L. Folds before United States Commissioner William T. Lindsay Montgomery was later released from custody on $50,000 bail.

George E. Tener, a coal and real estate man and a brother of John K. Tener, Republican candidate for Congress from the Twenty-fourth District, went on Montgomery's bond. The first intimation that Montgomery was short in his accounts came from Henry Reiber; the ex-paying teller of the Farmers' Deposit National Bank, who, with James Young, ex-auditor, is alleged to have robbed that institution of over $1,105,000. Reiber and Young are in jail, and last week Reiber is alleged to have stated that part of the immense sum of money he took from the Farmers' National had gone as loans to Montgomery to help make up his shortage.

A hurried examination of Montgomery's books was made, and sufficient evidence was found against him to cause William Stewart, the President, to send for National Bank Examiner William L. Folds, who arrived here from Philadelphia this afternoon.

Folds discovered that Montgomery's defalcations reached $469,000 at least. Without waiting to investigate further the Examiner appeared before United States Commissioner Lindsay and swore out a warrant for Montgomery's arrest.

For years the Allegheny National Bank has been the headquarters of Republican politicians. The late Senator M. S. Quay always made the bank his headquarters, and during all of the Quay campaigns "Billy" Montgomery, as he was known to every one here, handled the Quay money. Most of the Allegheny County Republicans of the present day are prominent in the bank, Secretary of the Commonwealth Robert McAfee being one of the Directors.

Montgomery, the defaulting cashier, has been well known about town and was considered a conservative business man. His fortune was estimated at $500,000. When arrested this afternoon the only statement that he would make was that he has not a penny of the stolen money left, nor has he any of his own.

He declares that has loaned large sums to speculators, and when he called on them to return the loans they were unable to do so.

The standing of the bank will not be affected by the defalcation. Some of the wealthiest men in Pittsburg are connected with the institution. Both the city and the State carried accounts at the bank, the State account being in the neighborhood of $500,000. Because it has a checking account the exact amount is unknown.

It is reported here late to-night on the most reliable authority that this afternoon prominent financial men and politicians went to William L. Folds, United States Bank Examiner, and offered him $469,000 in cash, the amount of the known defalcation, to make good Montgomery's shortage, if he would not prosecute him and let the story come out.

Folds refused the offer, and ordered Montgomery's arrest. It is intimated that arrests will follow because of the attempt to bribe the examiner.

DUKE THREATENED RIVALS.

Charge Made by Competing Tobacco Company In Defending Suit.

Threats of business extermination declared to have been made by James B. Duke, President of the American Tobacco Company, to force the sale of a competing company, were incorporated in the papers in a suit, final hearing of which was begun yesterday afternoon before Vice Chancellor Howell in Newark.

The suit is brought by the American Tobacco Company against R. P. Richardson, Jr., & Co., a North Carolina concern, to compel the transfer on the books of the latter company of 600 shares of stock which the complainant concern alleges were conveyed to it under a contract made by Robert P. Richardson, Edward E. Richardson, and Edward P. Walters, majority stockholders, on Aug. 12, 1903.

A collateral issue involves the injoining of a suit brought by the Richardsons in the Superior Court of Rockingham County, N. C., to have the agreement for the conveyance of the stock in dispute set aside.

The bill sets forth an alleged agreement to the effect that the competition between the two concerns would be a "friendly" one in the event of the transfer of the stock. The stock, however, it is alleged, was never transferred from the books of the Richardson Company, the members of the firm declining to do so on the demand of the American Tobacco Company, alleging that the agreement had been broken in that the competition had not been "friendly," but real.

The answer goes into a story of alleged "aggressive methods and ruinous cutting of prices" by the American Company, which, the answer says, "possesses unlimited means" and "has contrived with remarkable success to overcome and break down competitors with lesser resources," either entirely driving them from the business or bringing them to a condition where the complainant could acquire their plants and business on its own terms, or compelling them "to such open or secret alliances as the aims and purposes of the complainant may require."

Strike at Singer Building.

All work on the Singer Building except that of the painters was tied up yesterday as a result of a strike of the trades against the handling of non-union woodtrim supplied by the Fischer Brothers, Fifth Avenue and 137th Street, at one of the stores in the building which the firm has the contract for fitting up.

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Two Fine Houses at Madison Avenue and 72d Street Left to Decay.

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Never Occupied by Any One, Though They Cost a Million—Price Asked Said to be Too High.

For more than thirteen years there have been at the southeast corner of Madison Avenue and Seventy-second Street two fine mansions which in all those years have never housed a tenant.

These two houses, built, it is said, at a cost of $1,000,000, are the property of Mrs. Rhinelander Waldo, mother of Rhinelander Waldo, recently a Deputy Police Commissioner. They are in the Gothic style of architecture, and were built in the lifetime of her husband, the late Francis Waldo.

Mrs. Waldo now occupies with her sister the house at 81 East Seventy-second Street, directly opposite the untenanted mansions. From the windows a good view may be had of the big stone and brick structures on the southeast corner. Both houses are for sale, but the price asked is said to have been put at such a figure that buyers have not been eager to take over the property from Mrs. Waldo.

The southeast corner house was built in 1895, when the Waldos were in Europe. It was ready for their occupancy when they returned, but for some undisclosed reason they decided not to occupy it, and from that day down to the present it has remained empty and gloomy. Its windows and doors are now dirty from the constant beating of wind and rain, and the mortar work is badly in need of overhauling. Yet the houses are said to be in all material respects in good shape.

A big sign was tacked yesterday to the door of one of the houses announcing that the property was for sale. Whether there is any immediate prospect of a sale being closed the real estate agents who are trying to dispose of the property would not say. The houses are a block away from the Presbyterian Hospital, and near St. James's Church.

COURT ADJUDGES MAN DEAD.

Property of J. P. Naething, Missing Since 1873, Given to Brothers.

As nothing has been heard of John Philip Naething since 1873, Surrogate Beckett adjudged him legally dead yesterday and appointed the missing man's brother, Charles F. Naething of 267 West Seventy-second Street, administrator of the estate, which consists of $2,634, with interest for many years, which has been deposited with the City Chamberlain as his share of his father's estate. J. P. Naething served in the army and navy during the civil war and afterward wandered about the country.

The brothers of the missing man are the proprietors of Naething's restaurants, at 118 Fulton Street and 388 Broadway.

RESTAURANT EIGHTH FLOOR
Simpson Crawford Co.
SIXTH AV. 19TH TO 20TH STREET. NEW YORK.

10 Minutes to Hoboken by Hudson Tunnel.

FOR TO-DAY

100 dozen Women's
12 and 16 Button Mousquetaire
Silk Gloves
black, white and colors
75c. pair.

☞ Main Floor.

Toilet Articles in a Special Sale.

Putting prices down to that point where it pays to lay in a generous supply. One of those special sales of Toilet Articles for which this house is noted. A time when prices are cut to the lowest point on standard articles.

☞ Main Floor.

Green Castile Soap, best quality—large bar..... 25c
Dr. Charles Flesh Food, 50c, size.....29c.
Lambert's Listerine—8 oz. size, 35c
Peroxide of Hydrogen—8 oz. size, 15c
Ideal Talcum Powder, scented, 5c
Idealia Cold Cream, ½ lb.....32c
Dentiseptine Tooth Powder.....10c
Meadowbrook Violet Water.....39c
Pinaud's Extracts, all odors, ounce ....29c.
Miro-Dena, Creme de Savon cures enlarged pores, 25c and..... 50c
Steel Manicure Scissors, fine points, at..... 39c
Sea Salt Crystals—5 lb.....19c
Cucumber and Elder-flower Skin Food.. 15c, 35c
Idealia Castile Soap, made of pure olive oil, 6 cakes..... 25c
Brilliantine for Dry Hair, all odors..... 19c
Pure Gum Camphor, lb..... 89c
Lyon's Tooth Powder.....12c.
Idealia Violet Ammonia—Pints, 12c.; Quarts..... 19c
English Lavender in bags..... 10c
Simpson-Crawford Co.'s Rapid Flow Fountain Syringe—3 hard rubber pipes, guaranteed.. 89c
Idealia Sage Hair Tonic, cures dandruff—4 oz., 33c; 8 oz.. 59c
Hair-go, the new non-poisonous Hair Remover..... $1.00
Woodbury's Facial Soap, cake.....12c
Idealia West India Bay Rum—½ pint bottle..... 25c

Saks & Company

Broadway at 34th Street

"To the climber, the mountain offers nothing beyond its top."

In the production of distinctive

Apparel for Men

we have reached the apex—exhausted the possibilities—we can go no higher.

Nor do we wish to qualify this statement by the phrase "ready-for-service." That is merely descriptive of a condition.

What the future has in store, we cannot tell—but in the light of to-day, were you to double your expenditure in the purchase of garments to measure, you could procure no better—because better is not made.

In all seriousness and from a thorough knowledge of the facts, this claim is presented: No other garments—at any price—are cut from fabrics more exclusive or designed more distinctively, or finished with more care than the productions of our own tailormen.

Suits at $35 to $43

Friday and Saturday

Sale of 50c, 75c & 1.00 Tub Scarfs for Men, at 25c

1,200 Wash Scarfs in newest effects

In plain blue, helio, tan, brown, green or gray, also combination stripes and checks. The material washes as satisfactorily as a handkerchief of pure linen.

Ending with Saturday

The Sale of 2.50 & 3.00 Pajamas for Men, at 1.45

Secured at a concession, these Pajamas are offered proportionately low; affording opportunity to supply one's needs for the entire season.

The materials are woven madras and French percales, in light or dark effects; plain colorings in blue, pink, gray or helio, also in stripes or checks. Silk loops and pearl buttons.

Ending with Saturday

The Sale of $5 & $6 Low Shoes for Men, at 3.65

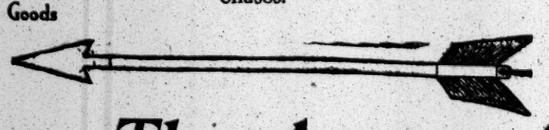
Entirely new, fresh and perfect

LEATHERS: Tan Russia calf, tan glace kid, black Russia calf, gun metal calf, patent calfskin, patent kid or coltskin.

MODELS: 2-eyelet pump ties; Blucher or Oxford. All styles of toe and every shape—extreme to conservative.

Greenhut and Company
Dry Goods

While the stocks at this store are of the better quality, they consist mainly of medium-priced goods. No matter how little or how much you may wish to spend, *we can serve you best.* You owe it to yourself to prove this—so come here before deciding definitely on your purchases.



Today—The ARROW SALE

Every department in this store has joined hands for the second Arrow Sale today. It will be a day of extraordinary bargains. No woman who read the partial list in last evening's newspapers will miss being here to get her share. Our first Arrow Sale, last Friday, stirred up a wave of ethusiastic buying in which thousands of women shared—and the offers today are just as remarkable.

As you enter the store today, you will be handed a booklet containing a complete list of the offerings—they are too many to find room in this newspaper. This little book will give you a brief description of the goods, with the location at which they are selling, the regular selling price and the Arrow Sale price. In many cases, the quantities are not sufficiently large to last throughout the day—so quick action is wise. You will find cards displayed throughout the store, with the arrow on them pointing straight at the sale merchandise.

Here is the meat of the story: 163 items of new, fresh, seasondble merchandise are offered at prices ranging from about one-third, and in many instances one-half below the regular selling prices.

Come early. Be sure to get the booklet as you enter the store. One dollar possesses the purchasing power of two, in many cases, here today—so that this is one of those uncommon chances in which every woman within traveling distance of New York will want to partake.

6th Ave., 18th to 19th St. Greenhut & Company 6th Ave., 18th to 19th St.
(Store formerly occupied by B. Altman & Co.)

ALL CARS TRANSFER TO Bloomingdales
LEXINGTON TO 3RD AVE. 59TH TO 60TH ST.

"Varsity Stripe" Knitted Silk Cravats

For Men at $1.19

Exclusive haberdashers sell the identical cravats at $2.00 and $2.50. Here in all the fashionable colors of the hour—solid back grounds with ¼ inch wide contrasting stripes. Our ability to sell the cravats for so much less than others is due to the fact that we import them through our London house direct.

Every well dressed man should have at least six of the cravats.

All Cars Transfer to BLOOMINGDALES', Lex. to 3d Ave., 59th to 60th St.

Stern Brothers

will continue to-day their sale of

Women's Double Tipped Mousquetaire Milanese Silk Gloves

Full 16 Button Length
In black, white, tan and leather shades. 83c Pair
Actual Value $1.25

Women's Shoes-Summer Styles

WALKING PUMPS, SAILOR, GIBSON AND OXFORD TIES IN THE NEWEST APPROVED SHAPES AND ALL FASHIONABLE LEATHERS; ALSO WHITE CANVAS AND BUCKSKIN. HIGHEST GRADE WORKMANSHIP.

Special attention is directed to Collar Pumps and Two Eyelet Perforated Blucher Ties.

West Twenty-third Street

THE STETSON SHOE

Stetson Reputation

Every pair of shoes without a reputation is an experiment to be tried at some one's expense.

You can know before you wear a pair of Stetsons just what to expect from them. Their reputation is established. For 23 years they have stood for known shoe value.

Wear Them This Spring

Prices **$5.50** and upward.

The Stetson Shop, 9 Cortlandt St.

(Near Broadway)

Uneeda Biscuit

FIZZ IT

WITH CLYSMIC

DIVORCE FOR THE McKEES.

Decree Will Not Run in Favor of Either of the Parties.

PARIS, May 7.—The legal expert of the court presented his conclusion in the McKee divorce case to-day. His finding was in favor of granting a divorce, holding both Mr. and Mrs. McKee responsible. Formal judgment will be rendered May 14. The suit was brought in this city by Mrs. A. Hart McKee, formerly Mrs. Hugh Tevis.

The legal expert in the statement in which his decision was given traced the history of the McKee marriage, which he said united two "spoiled children of fortune," who had fallen desperately in love with each other. McKee, he thought, had made full atonement for whatever had occurred before the marriage by espousing the woman he loved the day after he secured his divorce.

The expert found, however, that McKee was a person of ungovernable temper, who had been guilty of great brutality toward his wife, and had caused repeated scenes of violence which had seriously affected his wife's health.

He strongly condemned the husband's action after the application for divorce had been filed in instituting an "infamous inquisition" among Mrs. McKee's servants, and he characterized the public revelation of the contents of the wife's love letters as Mr. McKee's crowning outrage against a woman whose principal fault was that she had loved him too much. Nevertheless, the law expert concluded, the charges that McKee had tried to starve his wife, had maltreated her child, had stolen her jewels, &c., had not been substantiated.

As for Mrs. McKee, although she perhaps had been guilty of lack of tact, the important charges against her had not been proved. She did nothing serious before July, 1907, when her love seemed to turn to hate and she began making scandalous and unwarranted charges against McKee.

In his final conclusion that the divorce should be granted in favor of neither the husband nor the wife, the legal expert said such a decision would avoid dishonoring either of the two families concerned, both of whom enjoyed good reputations in America, and that it would also spare the children.

F. A. HEINZE GETS LAWYER IN A TRAP

Has Him Arrested on a Charge of Attempting to Extort $40,000.

OLD BANK CASE INVOLVED

Copper Magnate Says Young Butte Lawyer Made Many Threats Against Him.

Edwin E. Brennan, a young lawyer of Butte, Mon., was arrested yesterday afternoon in the office of F. Augustus Heinze at 74 Broadway, charged with attempting to extort $40,000 from Mr. Heinze. He was arraigned before Magistrate Moss in the Tombs Court, and sent to the Tombs in default of $5,000 bail. He will have a hearing on Saturday.

The Aetna Bank and Trust Company of Butte, Mon., was organized in 1900, Mr. Heinze and others subscribing the capital of $100,000. In a published statement of the bank's condition this $100,000 was represented as cash, it is alleged, on a form furnished to the bank by the State of Montana. It developed two years ago, it was charged, that the original capital stock of $100,000 was made up partly of Mr. Heinze's paper, and not altogether of cash. This charge was made when the bank got into difficulties.

Mr. Heinze was a Director and officer of the bank at that time, and A. B. Clements was the cashier and manager. According to the law, the uttering and publishing of false statements concerning a bank's affairs are felonies.

Clements was arrested, and charged with these two felonies. The only witness of any consequence against him was a girl stenographer named Esther. Just about the time of the trial Clements married the young woman, and since a wife cannot testify against her husband, the charges against Clements failed for lack of evidence. He was set free, and later went to California.

Mr. Heinze was not molested by the officers of the law in connection with this case. He was out of Montana most of the time, and though he was one of its officers the uttering and publishing of the alleged false statement was not put up to him. He was not connected with the bank when it got into trouble two years ago.

An Old Bank Case.

Clements was defended in that case by Edwin E. Brennan, a son of Dr. John Brennan of Indianapolis. A few years ago, it is said, the young lawyer inherited from two aunts some $25,000, while his father inherited $100,000. He served in the Spanish-American war as a member of the Twenty-seventh Indiana Battery, married in Indianapolis, and moved to San Francisco, where he and his wife were divorced. He moved from there to Butte.

Charles L. Craig of the law firm of Hoadly, Lauterbach & Johnson, at 22 William Street, who represent Mr. Heinze, said yesterday that soon after the termination of the Clements case letters began to reach Mr. Heinze asking for money, it evidently being the idea of the writer that Mr. Heinze was worrying about the bank case and would pay for supposedly favorable testimony. Last Summer, while Mr. Heinze was President of the Mercantile National Bank, Mr. Craig said, he received demands for at least $200,000 from Butte in connection with that old bank statement.

Lawyer Brennan was one of those who wrote to Heinze, said Mr. Craig, and last March he came on to New York to see the copper man in person. He had learned the inside facts of the bank, he represented, from Clements and his wife. On his first visit, said Mr. Craig, the young lawyer asked Mr. Heinze to give him $15,000 in payment of an alleged debt to Clements.

Upon Mr. Heinze's refusal to pay this, Brennan is said to have intimated that it would be well to have Clements and his wife favorably disposed to him.

A Letter to Heinze.

Mr. Craig showed the following letter, written on March 20 by Brennan from the Hotel Knickerbocker, according to Mr. Craig:

> In reference to the matter of which we were talking this afternoon, I submit the following as an exposition of the Aetna Bank matter:
>
> A. B. Clements was tried on information charging him, in conjunction with yourself, of uttering and publishing a false statement concerning the affairs of the bank. Under our statute the publishing and uttering of a false statement are separate and distinct offenses, and are classed as felonies.
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> In my defense of Clements I succeeded in preventing the introduction of sufficient evidence to warrant a conviction. I asked for and received an instruction to acquit.
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> The court, in his remarks to the jury, stated that the whole affair turned on the point of whether or not certain promissory notes, given by yourself and others, were received by the bank and accepted as actual payment of the capital stock, or whether the notes were received as evidences of indebtedness to the fund of the capital stock, and the court remarked, and very properly, that either Mr. Clements himself or his wife, who at that time held a position of trust in the bank, were the only ones who could offer any competent testimony as to the real manner in which the notes were received. Mr. C. himself did not offer any testimony whatever.

According to Mr. Craig, Brennan intimated that for $100,000 he could get affidavits from both Clements and his wife, both under his influence, which would absolve Mr. Heinze from any blame in connection with the bank statement in case the question should ever come up. The price was then lowered to $50,000, said Mr. Craig, and then the request was made into a demand.

Say He Threatened Heinze.

Mr. Heinze would satisfy Clements and his wife, Mr. Craig quoted Lawyer Brennan as saying, then these two important witnesses would swear that the bank statement was false and that it was prepared under the direction of Mr. Heinze.

Mr. Heinze communicated with the District Attorney's office at that time, and on March 23 Detectives Flood and Fitzsimmons were stationed in a room connected with Mr. Heinze's office to hear the conversation that went on about the affidavits. Mr. Heinze seemed to agree with Mr. Brennan that the Clements affidavits would be very valuable to him, and so the young lawyer went to California to get them.

"He was cautious at this interview," said Mr. Craig, "and tried the locked door that sheltered the two detectives before he would talk. The sleuths heard the conversation through a crack in the door."

Lawyer Brennan returned from California and went down to see Mr. Heinze on Wednesday. He wanted $40,000 for the two affidavits, Mr. Craig said. Mr. Heinze made an appointment to meet Brennan yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock in his office.

Promptly at that hour Brennan appeared. Detective Beery, from the District Attorney's office, was hidden behind a screen in the office. The lawyer handed over the two affidavits. The one signed with the name of Mrs. Clements said that she knew nothing about the bank statement in question, and the other, signed by Clements himself, said that the statement was correct as published.

Mr. Heinze handed over to Brennan three notes, one for $15,000 and two for $12,... apiece, promising to pay him on demand the sums named. Then Beery stepped out and arrested the young man.

BRITISH OLD-AGE PENSIONS.

Scheme Devised by Government to be in Operation Next January.

LONDON, May 7.—The budget, an interesting item in which is a provision for old-age pensions, was put before the House of Commons this afternoon. It was presented by Premier Asquith instead of by the Chancellor of the Exchequer. It was thought wise, inasmuch as Mr. Asquith, in his capacity of Chancellor of the Exchequer, had prepared the budget, that he should explain it to Parliament.

Mr. Asquith announced that Great Britain's realized surplus for the year 1907-1908 amounted to $23,630,000, and that a large part of this sum would be applied to the reduction of the national debt. The debt, the Premier said, had been reduced by approximately $90,000,000 during the last year. A further reduction of about $75,000,000 would be effected during the current year, and Great Britain's debt would then stand at the same figure as twenty years ago.

Coming to the main feature of the budget—the matter of old-age pensions—Mr. Asquith said it had been decided to rule out all contributory schemes and provide the pensions from the National Treasury. A universal scheme of pensions was outside the range of practical politics. In order that lunatics, criminals, and persons now receiving poor law relief should be ineligible under the proposed system, it had been decided to start with a pension of $1.25 a week to persons over 70 years of age in possession of incomes under $180 a year. The Premier estimated that the pensioners would not exceed 500,000, and that the cost of the pensions would be $30,000,000 a year. The scheme, he announced, would come into force Jan. 1, 1909. Stringent conditions would be laid down for forfeiture and suspension.

If this pension scheme was Socialism, the Premier declared, it was Socialism of a kind that both parties accepted.

The Premier said he proposed to reduce the duty on sugar from 4s. 2d. to 1s. 10d. per hundredweight, with a resulting loss in revenue of $17,000,000. This, with the old-age pensions, would practically exhaust the estimated surplus of $24,505,000.

The reduction in the sugar duties will become effective May 18 on raw and refined sugar, and on July 1 on articles manufactured with sugar.

BRITISH TRADE FALLS OFF.

April Statement Shows Large Decreases in Both Imports and Exports.

LONDON, May 7.—The April statement of the Board of Trade shows decreases of $48,414,000 in imports and $18,557,500 in exports.

The principal decrease in imports is found in raw materials, of which wool shows $10,000,000 and cotton from America $17,500,000.

With regard to exports, manufactured metals show a decrease of $5,000,000 and textiles a decrease of $7,500,000.

ROYALTIES INVADE VIENNA.

Help Celebrate Emperor Francis Joseph's Diamond Jubilee.

VIENNA, May 7.—The heads of the princely houses of Germany, led by Emperor William, assembled in Vienna today to present their congratulations to Emperor Francis Joseph on the occasion of the diamond jubilee of his reign as Emperor-King of Austria-Hungary.

They were received this afternoon by the Emperor in the Schoenbrunn Palace. The ceremony opened with a brief speech by the Kaiser, to which Francis Joseph replied, expressing gratification at the honor done him by the visiting royalties.

Later in the afternoon Emperor William called upon the archdukes and the various Embassies, and Francis Joseph took a long carriage ride through the streets of the city and called upon the German Princes.

WANTS NO PARLIAMENT.

Russian Finance Minister Thanks God There's None in His Country.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 7.—While the Duma to-day was discussing the railway administration budget, M. Markoff said that reform in the administration was absolutely necessary and advocated the appointment of a Parliamentary committee to take up the matter.

M. Markoff was warmly supported by many members of the Duma, but M. Kokovsoff, the Minister of Finance, in behalf of the Government, strongly opposed a Parliamentary investigation.

"Thank God," said he, "we haven't a Parliament in Russia yet."

The deficit of the State railways this year amounts to $66,000,000.

JAP ANTI-FOREIGN MOB.

Timber Factory at Miyazaki Owned by Frenchmen Badly Wrecked.

TOKIO, May 7.—An official report from Miyazaki prefecture states that May 5 a mob of eighty persons wrecked a timber factory owned by Frenchmen in the village of Llino, and also the residences of the factory owners. The loss is estimated at $50,000. No personal injuries were inflicted.

The motive for the attack has not yet been reported.

Forty arrests have been made.

Korean Emperor Not Banished.

TOKIO, May 7.—The Foreign Office says there is no basis whatever for the report that Japan had banished the Korean Emperor. No such thing has taken place, it is stated, and no such thing is contemplated. Regret is expressed that the report in question should be circulated in America.

Notes of Foreign Affairs.

MADRID, May 7.—To commemorate the first anniversary of the birth of the Prince of the Asturias, King Alfonso to-day pardoned three men who were undergoing imprisonment for aiding in the escape of Manuel Morales, the man who threw a bomb at King Alfonso and Queen Victoria on their wedding day.

BERLIN, May 7.—The Reichstag to-day adjourned until Oct. 20. Following their usual custom, the Socialists left the Chamber at the end of the sitting, just before the President proposed three cheers for Emperor William.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 7.—The report that agents of John D. Rockefeller are in St. Petersburg negotiating for the construction of the Amur Railroad is officially denied. The Amur Railroad bill, which has passed the Duma, provides that the line shall be constructed at the State's expense and by Russian engineers and workmen.

LIVERPOOL, May 7.—The Mersey Dock Board has approved a scheme for the extension of the docking facilities of Liverpool to cost over $16,000,000. The rapidly increasing trade with America has made necessary an enlargement of the existing facilities. One of the considerations that moved the board to its action was a desire to provide accommodation for the 1,000-foot White Star liners that are to be finished next year.

PEKING, May 7.—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Minister to China, has handed in another communication from his Government to the Chinese Foreign Board protesting against the continuance of the Chinese boycott on Japanese goods arising from the Tatsu Maru incident.

FLIRTING BY PUPILS OF LAW SCHOOL ENDS

Sitting on the Fire Escapes Has Been Barred Since Western Union Complained.

KEPT THE GIRLS FROM WORK

Faculty Cites Liability of the Third Party to a Broken Contract to Hold Students in Check.

The 1,000 students of the New York Law University moved into their new quarters last Saturday—four well-lighted, well-aired rooms in the twelve-story building at 174 Fulton Street. One of the students looked out of the rear windows and saw a dozen or more pretty girls looking out from the windows of a big building opposite. The young man who made the discovery—several want that honor—is generally conceded to be Arthur Dalton, President of the senior class.

There was a scramble to the fire escapes and in a trice fifty or more law students were perched comfortably on the steps of the fire escapes or were leaning over the iron balustrade. And fifty feet away, in the other building, the number of girls about the open windows on the eighth and ninth floors were growing every minute. Every window on the school side of the two floors now framed as many girls as could squeeze in there.

The students considered that introductions were hardly necessary between persons who were evidently to be such near neighbors. There were inquiries, and the law students learned that the building across the way was the Western Union Building, and the young women were employed there, some as operators, some as message chasers, clerks, and what not. And, moreover, there were 2,200 of them employed in the building. But there are more serious things in the New York Law University than perching upon fire escapes. The students began their lectures in the new rooms at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

On Monday the 1,000 students in the New York Law University began to notice a rather unusual strain in the lecturing by the several professors. They wondered for awhile what it could mean. Prof. Robert D. Petty, who lectures on contracts, constitutional law, insurance, and a number of other branches, chose as one of his topics "the third party's liability."

"Young gentlemen," he said, "this hour is to be devoted to the theory of the law on contracts and the liability of the third party for damages accruing where either party to a contract is prevented through the machinations of a third party from fulfilling the obligations contracted and covenanted to be performed."

"Now, it is an elementary principle of law that a third party is liable for any breach of contract he may cause," continued Prof. Petty. "And I am grieved that any student of this institution should so reflect upon his Alma Mater and his own knowledge as a lawyer of what to avoid to escape personal liability."

The students looked mystified. Prof. Petty is a joker. That they all knew, but they could not see what he was driving at. And then Prof. Petty told them that a communication had been received from the Western Union Telegraph Company, complaining that the law students had been causing the young women operators to neglect their work and asking the management of the school to put a stop to the "flirting" that had been going on. This communication had been sent to the school just one hour and a half after the first lecture in the new building.

There was an uproar in the classroom when Prof. Petty broke the news to the students. It is called "stampeding" at the New York Law University—that stamping of feet, clapping of hands(and catcalls with which the students voice their disapproval of anything that is told them. The stampeding lasted several minutes, while the professor smiled indulgently. And then he told the students in plain words that the telegraph company had the right to ask that their young women employes should not be disturbed by the law students. The allegation that they had "disturbed" the young women was met with another outburst by the students.

Prof. Petty explained that the Western Union in its communication had said that the students had focused mirrors upon the young women operators.

There are twelve classes in the school, and it took from Monday until yesterday for the professors to tell all the students that they must not flirt any more with the girls across the way.

Dean George Chase told the students that they were old enough to know better. He also told them that the girls with whom they had been flirting were younger than they and that the wages they received were small, but that they needed the money and could not afford to run the chance of being dismissed through any act of the law students.

There were no indignation meetings among the boys. They agreed to keep away from the fire escapes in the future, however, and to confine their flirting to smiles and nods.

MARTIN'S COAT BLOOD-SOAKED

Counsel Provided for ex-Lieutenant on Instructions from East.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 7.—An overcoat, which was apparently soaked in blood, and a rusty rifle, were found last night in a vacant lot. The coat was identified by Frank D. Hennesay, clerk of the Municipal Court, as belonging to former Lieut. E. H. Martin, accused of the murder of Pawnbroker Nathan Wolff last Friday.

After the finding of the coat and rifle detectives were sent to the vacant lot in an effort to locate the coat and vest worn by Martin when he left home on Friday morning.

The legal advisers in New York of Martin's father have been making every effort to communicate with Martin senior, who is in Europe, but up to the present have been unsuccessful. In the meantime, it is stated, instructions have been sent here from the East directing that Martin be provided with counsel and his rights be protected.

Truffles Are Vegetables, Says Court.

Judge Hazel, in the United States Circuit Court, yesterday affirmed the decision of the Board of General Appraisers which assessed a duty of 40 per cent. on the importation of truffles preserved in tins as "vegetables prepared or preserved not specially provided for in the act." Von Bremen, MacMonnies & Co., the importers, urged that truffles should be dutiable as mushrooms at 2½ cents per pound, and contended that they were not vegetables.

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Choice of over 1,500 garments—every one journeyman tailored in the most modern tailoring plants in America. Choice of 15 different distinctive Brill models. Choice of 60 different weaves, designs and shades of fabric. Included at $13.50 are:

$20 black vicuna thibet suits. $20 blue serge suits (non-shining).
$18 and $20 fancy mixture black and blue worsted suits.
$18 and $20 value gray worsted serge suits.
$18 and $20 suits of tan, brown and gray velour.
$18 and $20 worsted cheviot and cassimere suits in new shades of tan, gray and brown.
$18 and $20 value Spring coats of worsted-finished weaves, in tan, gray and olive.
$18 and $20 value velour Spring coats, including patch-pocket models, in tan, gray and brown.

Suits and Spring Coats that are $22.50 and $25 values $17

Choice of over 1,200 garments tailored by the foremost tailoring organizations in America, every one presenting highest standard $22.50 and $25 fabric and tailorwork. Choice of 25 different models, including 6 of the most extreme styles shown in New York. Choice of nearly 80 different weaves, shades and colorings of fabric.

$22.50 melton-finished black thibet suits.
$22.50 unfinished worsted black and blue serge suits.
$22.50 and $25 natural-finished blue serge suits.
$25 dark silk mixture worsted suits.
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$22.50 and $25 brown, tan and olive worsted suits.
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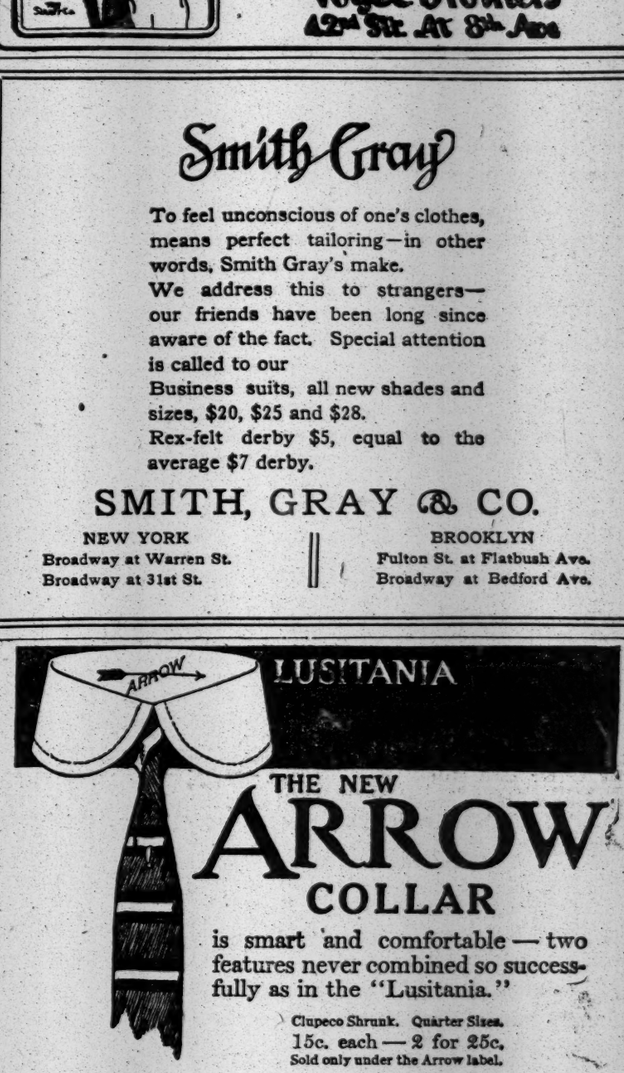

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FOUR DIE IN FIRE SET BY A FIREBUG

It Was the Second Attempt in a Week to Burn Orchard Street Tenement.

MANY HEROIC RESCUES

Two Policemen Badly Burned While Saving Panic-Stricken Tenants—Blaze Set at Bottom and Top of Building.

The second attempt to burn the double tenement at 101 Orchard Street was made yesterday morning, and proved successful. In the fire four persons were burned to death. They are:

BERG, Mrs. EVA, 53 years old.
KOPELMAN, HATTIE, granddaughter of Mrs. Berg, 2½ years old.
SACHS, SAMUEL, 10 years old.
Unidentified man, burned beyond recognition.

Policemen Charles Traenkle and George Ludwig were both burned so severely while attempting rescues that they had to be taken to the Eldridge Street Police Station. Policeman Richard Murphy had most of his clothes burned from his body, but was not himself badly burned.

David Goldsmith, his daughters Fannie and Leah, and his son Benjamin were burned severely, and the father is in a critical condition. Sadie Bierman, 30 years old, was so badly burned about the arms and body that she may not recover. The wounded were taken to St. Gregory and Gouverneur Hospitals.

Last year 22 Chrystie Street, not far from the scene of yesterday morning's tragedy, was destroyed and twenty-three Italians were killed. Three years ago twenty-one lives were lost just a block away, at Delancey and Allen Streets. Both of these fires were thought to have been of incendiary origin.

The fire yesterday morning was undoubtedly of incendiary origin. An attempt was made to destroy the building between Friday night and Saturday morning last week. Yesterday morning, when the fire started, a number of the tenants were sitting up on watch.

One of them—Mrs. Berg, who lost her life—had complained earlier in the night that she smelled kerosene, but a search that followed did not uncover the fire nest. Toward morning the watchers fell asleep.

When the fire started it swept to the wooden stairway in the narrow hall with great speed. Joseph Berg, who saw his mother burned to death on the top floor while trying to get her to the roof, said that the firebug must have planted fire nests on at least two floors, for as soon as the flames shot out from the basement they appeared also on the top floor and began eating under the roof.

"We could not get to the stairs," he said to a TIMES reporter. "We got out on the rear fire escape and started down, but we only got to the third floor when a rush of persons came up.

"I turned back, shoving my mother ahead of me. We got into a room on the top floor and we tried to reach the roof, but could not. The roof itself was ablaze. We were both half suffocated in the room. I turned over my mother on her face and managed to get back to the window and called for help. I could not lift her, but I managed to drag her to the window. The flames enveloped the room. My mother was burned to death. I managed to get to the yard with a child, which I carried from the room."

Mrs. Sadie Kopelman, the widowed daughter of Mrs. Berg, with her father-in-law, Philip Berg, and brother-in-law, Solomon Berg, were trapped with other tenants on the rear fire escape at the third story. Mrs. Kopelman was making her way down the ladder with one hand, clinging to her child Hattie, when a woman above her lost her balance and plunged down on her. The mother caught on the fire escape landing on the floor below, but the child fell to the grating at the base, through which poured a sheet of flame. Several firemen tried to reach the child, but could not. Policeman Murphy finally undertook the task. He advanced to the grill as a fireman kept a stream of water pouring over him, leaned over, seized the child, and dragged it away. The baby was dead and its body was burned to a crisp.

Policeman Ludwig was making his way down the fire escape with a child in his arms, when another woman fell through the fire escape openings from the fifth floor. He was knocked from the fourth to the second floor landing, but hung on to the baby. Policeman Traenkle went to his rescue, the heat of the fire escape blistering his hands as he climbed. He relieved Ludwig of the baby, and both got safely to the ground.

There were four families to the floor, and at least 100 people, all told, in the house, at the time of the fire. In the front of the building the awning of a small shop proved the means of saving the lives of a number of babies, who were thrown into it by their mothers. Policemen and firemen caught the babies as they bounced or rolled off the canvas.

The Sachs boy was lost in the confusion which resulted when the tenants found that fire was above them as well as below. The unidentified man was found in the hallway. The body fell from one of the landings above as Battalion Chief Galvin started to go to the second floor. The Chief was knocked down by the body in its fall.

Thousands of east siders fled from the tenements to the sidewalks, dragging their belongings and their children with them. The people set up a call of "Get the firebug!" So excited did they become that Capt. Cray of the Eldridge Street Station called out every one of his men, and borrowed more from adjoining precincts. An investigation was started at daybreak by the Fire Marshal.

RAIN STOPS BASEBALL.

No Games Played in American, National, and Other Leagues.

The rainstorm, which continued steadily throughout yesterday, was remarkable for its severity and the wide scope of territory it covered. Every game scheduled to be played in the American and National Leagues yesterday was postponed because of the heavy downfall of rain, the first time a complete suspension of play has been necessary since the two major baseball organizations became rivals.

Baseball competition was at a standstill throughout the eastern section of the United States, with the single exception of Portland, Me., where an Atlantic League game was played.

The American Association, in the Middle West and Southwest, and the Southern League were able to engage in games yesterday.

Play may be resumed to-day at the Polo Grounds, provided the rain ceases in time and a stiff wind and the sun dries out the ground, but it is probable the Giants and Bostons will remain idle until Saturday.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Results of Yesterday's Games.
All games postponed on account of rain.

Where They Play To-day.
Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.
Chicago at Pittsburg.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	11	4	.733	Philadelphia	8	9	.471
Pittsburg	9	4	.692	Cincinnati	5	7	.417
New York	10	7	.588	Brooklyn	7	11	.389
Boston	10	8	.556	St. Louis	3	13	.187

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Results of Yesterday's Games.
All games postponed on account of rain.

Where They Play To-day.
New York at Boston.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Cleveland.
St. Louis at Chicago.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Philadelphia	12	7	.632	Chicago	8	8	.500
Cleveland	9	6	.600	Boston	8	11	.421
New York	10	7	.588	Washington	6	11	.353
St. Louis	10	8	.556	Detroit	5	10	.333

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES

American Association.

At Kansas City—Kansas City, 1; Columbus, 0.
At Minneapolis—Indianapolis, 2; Minneapolis, 1.
At St. Paul—Louisville, 3; St. Paul, 0.

Southern League.

At Montgomery—Atlanta, 5; Montgomery, 3.
At Birmingham—Birmingham, 4; Nashville, 1.
At Mobile—Memphis, 2; Mobile, 1.
At Little Rock—Little Rock, 2; New Orleans, 1.

Columbia Ready for Navy Race.

Coach Rice of Columbia is entirely satisfied with the crews which depart to-day for Annapolis to represent the Blue and White upon the Severn against the navy on Saturday. Despite the poor weather and rough water they have had to contend against during the entire season, they row well together and are in excellent condition for the two-mile contest. A very high stroke has been worked for to contend against the unusually quick stroke that the middies have proved they can hold for any distance under four miles, and during the last two days the boats have started at about 42 strokes to a minute, and held from 36 to 40 strokes during the remaining distance. Quick racing starts and two or three mile time trials with the first and second boats has been the programme during the last two weeks, in which contests the outcome was as often in favor of the second boat as the first. The boating of the Columbia crews on the Severn to-morrow is as follows:

FIRST BOAT.	SECOND BOAT.
Bow—Snevily.	Bow—Steinschneider.
No. 2—Jordan.	No. 2—Hamman.
No. 3—Spalding.	No. 3—Clapp.
No. 4—Dellenbaugh.	No. 4—Murphy.
No. 5—Von Saltza, Capt.	No. 5—Renshaw.
No. 6—Starbuck.	No. 6—Sanders.
No. 7—Keator.	No. 7—Hauser.
Stroke—Crussi.	Stroke—Ryan.
Coxswain—Winslow.	Coxswain—Durant.

Rainbow Now a Schooner.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Rainbow, the seventy-foot sloop built for Cornelius Vanderbilt in 1900, has just been converted into a schooner by the Herreshoffs, there is no indication at the present time that Rainbow in her new rig will be seen in any of the races or cruises this season. The yacht is owned by the Herreshoffs, to whom she was turned over by Commodore Vanderbilt when he got his fifty-seven-footer Aurora last year. No purchaser has yet come forward for the boat, and if the yacht is not sold she will probably remain at the Herreshoff yards in Bristol during the season. As a schooner Rainbow will be essentially a cruising boat. Her keel has been cut down, reducing her draught, and, with her big sail area, which will not be increased, her racing chances would hardly be bright unless in the handicap classes. For cruising, however, it is said that her accommodations are ample, and there is a probability that Rainbow may be seen in the annual cruise of the New York Yacht Club. Rainbow is 106 feet in length over all, 70 feet on the water line, with a 19½-foot beam.

The Herreshoffs have also altered the sloop Irolita into a schooner, and she will be Commodore Clark's flagship of the Corinthian Yacht Club of Philadelphia this season.

Danbury Games Not Sanctioned.

The Registration Committee of the Metropolitan Association, A. A. U., announced yesterday that the Danbury Gymnastic Association games scheduled for the Fair Grounds, Danbury, Conn., on May 30 have not been sanctioned, and all registered athletes who compete will be suspended.

FISHING AND FISHERMEN.

HIGH TIDE FROM MAY 5 TO 9.

New Lon.		San. Hook.		Gov. Isl'd.		Will. Pt.	
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
3:10	4:15	12:45	1:35	1:17	3:20	4:25	5:05
4:08	5:00	1:42	2:35	2:15	3:16	5:25	5:55

Hudson River fishermen are complaining of the scarcity of fish, due to the gasoline and naphtha launches that are used principally by fishing parties. "The escape, smell, or whatever you choose to term it, from these launches," said a veteran fisherman yesterday, "is producing havoc among the fish of the Hudson, and dead ones are to be seen frequently."

Striped bass have again made their appearance in Barnegat Bay. On Sunday James Somers and Henry Tompkins, two New York anglers who have been spending a few days in the vicinity of Tom's River, caught eight fine specimens of the striped variety, in addition to two bluefish, small but of good quality.

Six members of the Harry L. Emerson Fishing Club of New York had a good day's sport in Bowery Bay on Sunday. Capt. Anglin and Secretary Harry Davidson caught sixteen flounders between them, while another fisherman close by landed two striped bass.

Broad Channel anglers contend that this spot in Jamaica Bay is the best spot just now around New York for fluke. On Sunday scores of fishermen carried away good messes, the fish being of unusual size and substance. The best sport was had on the flood tide, with killies as bait.

Still another club has been added to Brooklyn's big fishing colony. The Excelsior is the name given to the new organization, and the incorporators include some of the most expert and energetic fishermen in the borough across the big bridge. The men who have been placed in charge of the club are: President—Adam Eppig; Vice President—Lawrence Davidson; Secretary—Harry Johnson; Treasurer—Robert Harris; Captain—Perry Watson.

THE TURF.

RACING TO-DAY AT JAMAICA

APRIL 29 TO MAY 12 INCLUSIVE.

Trains leave East 34th St., 12:10, 12:30, 12:45, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:50 P. M. Flatbush Ave., 12:30, 12:50, 1:00, 1:10, 1:20, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00 P. M. Trolleys from Jamaica and last station Kings Co. "L" direct to track every few minutes.

SPORTING EVENTS.

Baseball, Polo Grounds, To-day, 4 P. M.—Giants vs. Boston. Admission 50c.

In the midst of yesterday's rain, a financier stopped to suggest that a raincoat is like a good bond.

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FAVORITES BEATEN IN MUD

Only Two Choices, and These at Odds-On, Are Successful in Stormy Day Races at Jamaica.

The weather and the results of the races were in harmony at the Jamaica track yesterday, and rounded out the most dismal day's sport in the memory of even the veterans among the racegoers. About 4,000 visitors braved the weather in the hope that the storm might abate, but there was no let-up to the rain and cold wind, and throughout the afternoon the big open stands were deserted, while the crowds huddled under the stands and in the clubhouse and ventured to peep out only when the races were actually being run.

The day was so bad and the prospects for the track so poor that many of the horses engaged were not sent to the track at all, and the fields were cut down by scratches to such a point that in the six races on the card only thirty horses ran, two fields bringing out three horses each and one having four starters.

The two successful post favorites were Aletheuo, in the feature event of the programme, the Newtown Stakes, and King Cobalt in the opening race, both starting at odds on, with King Cobalt at a practically prohibitive price. Wretched as were the general conditions, however, the mud was in favor of Aletheuo, and the harder the rain the stronger was the confidence of the R. T. Wilson, Jr., stable, in which Aletheuo is owned. Twelve horses were named to run for the Newtown Stakes, six furlongs, selling, but after seeing the track the trainers of seven of the number conceded the stakes to Aletheuo and scratched their horses, while the owners of the horses that opposed the Wilson entry centred their hopes in the chances for second and third money. Aletheuo, ridden by E. Dugan, and starting at 13 to 20, broke best of the field, and drew clear of his opponents in the first strides, and for the full distance of the race romped out in the lead as if he enjoyed the flight through the sloppy going. Sir Toddington was second by a short head and Keator third, a similar distance before Triumph.

An agreement for the sale of Havre, which was the opening favorite in the second race, had been practically reached between the owner, H. T. Griffin, and F. Lightfoot, but it fell through just before the race was run, and Havre, from 7 to 5 went back in the betting to 4 to 1, while Personal succeeded him as favorite. Then Havre went out and upset all calculations by winning handily in the run through the stretch after Force made the pace until well in the straight, Force lasting long enough to finish second, with Miss Highland third.

The closest contest of the day was for the last event, in which Incognito, backed as a "good thing" and starting favorite, led into the last stride and then was caught and beaten on the post in a whipping finish by Halket.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE.—For three-year-olds; non-winners of $2,500; special weights; allowances; five and one-half furlongs.
1—King Cobalt, 116, (McCarthy,) 2-9, out.
2—Masquerade, 101, (Garner,) 4-1, out.
3—Hartford Boy, 106, (W. Burns,) 60-1, 8-1.
Time—1:06. Won easily by five lengths; a length between second and third. Winner br. c., by Cesarion-Estelle Whitney. Owned by the Brownleigh Park Stable and trained by J. E. Nash.

SECOND RACE.—For two-year-olds; selling; five furlongs.
1—Havre, 102, (Garner,) 4-1, 7-5.
2—Force, 105, (Schilling,) 5-1, 2-1.
3—Miss Highland, 99, (E. Dugan,) 8-1, 1-1.
4—Personal, 106, (McCarthy,) 13-5, 1-1.
5—Von Laer, 104, (Brussel,) 15-1, 5-1.
6—Eustacian, 90, (Sumter,) 7-1, 5-2.
7—High Hat, 94, (Frances,) 20-1, 7-1.
8—Oration, 99, (W. Burns,) 50-1, 15-1.
Time—1:02. Won handily by three lengths; a length between second and third. Winner b. c. by Hawkswick-Tut Tut. Owned and trained by H. T. Griffin.

THIRD RACE.—For three-year-olds and upward, selling; one mile and a sixteenth.
1—Zethus, 110, (E. Dugan,) 8-1, 1-1.
2—Druid, 104, (McCarthy,) 7-1, 5-2.
3—Chantilly, 100, (Flynn,) 8-1, 5-2.
4—Samuel H. Harris, 105, (Brussel,) 4-1, 7-5.
5—D'Arkle, 102, (Garner,) 25-1, 7-1.
6—Cymbal, 85, (Jensen,) 12-1, 4-1.
7—Chief Hayes, 97, (Yorke,) 13-5, 1-1.
Time—1:51 1-5. Won easily by four lengths; two lengths between second and third. Winner b. c., 4 years, by Previous-Carmencita. Owned and trained by Richard Boner.

FOURTH RACE.—The Newtown Stakes, for three-year-olds and upward, selling; six furlongs.
1—Aletheuo, 113, (E. Dugan,) 13-20, out.
2—Sir Toddington, 108, (Flynn,) 9-1, 2-1.
3—Keator, 111, (Schilling,) 10-1, 5-2.
4—Triumph, 95, (McCarthy,) 15-1, 4-1.
5—Fleming, 110, (Lynch,) 18-5, 3-5.
Time—1:16. Won easily by three lengths; a head between second and third. Winner ch. c., 4 years, by Ornament-Undecided. Owned by R. T. Wilson, Jr., and trained by T. J. Healey.

FIFTH RACE.—Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; one and one-sixteenth miles.
1—Berkeley, 105, (Garner,) 12-5, 1-2.
2—Tileing, 113, (Sumter,) 11-10, 1-3.
3—Troublesome, 97, (McCarthy,) 20-1, 4-1.
4—Pins and Needles, 100, (E. Dugan,) 7-2, 4-5.
Time—1:52. Won easily by two lengths; three lengths between second and third. Winner ch. g., 4 years, by Dieudionne-Carness. Owned by the Beverwyck Stable and trained by David Woodford.

SIXTH RACE.—Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs.
1—Halket, 111, (Schilling,) 18-5, 3-5.
2—Incognito, 92, (E. Dugan,) 13-10, out.
3—Frizette, 105, (Garner,) 7-5, out.
Time—1:17 2-5. Won ridden out by a neck; five lengths between second and third. Winner br. c., 3 years, by Heno-Lena H. Owned by William Gerst and trained by James Blute.

Entries for Jamaica Races To-day.

FIRST RACE.—For maidens, two years old; selling; five furlongs.

Pounds.		Pounds.
Father Stafford	108	Wambaro 99
Primrose League	105	Alice Mack 99
Thetis	103	Right Sort 99
All Red	103	Gold Slipper 99
Nedilim	102	*Desolate 98
Pete	102	*Elmer Boy 97
Hobo	102	*Shapdale 94
Taxidermist	102	

SECOND RACE.—Handicap, for fillies and mares, three years old and upward; five and one-half furlongs.

Pantoufle	126	Martha Jane	110
Colloquy	125	Gowna	103
Explosion	120	Raquel	98
Frizette	113	Grace Cameron	92

THIRD RACE.—For four-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile and a sixteenth.

Monfort	111	Lord Stanhope	103
Keator	106	Alila	101
Zal	106	Killiecrankie	101

FOURTH RACE.—The Kings County Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth.

Old Honesty	114	Rye	103
Light Wool	106	Faust	88
Spooner	105		

FIFTH RACE.—For two-year-olds; selling; five furlongs.

Steel	103	Cornaro	99
Apron	103	Get Along	99
Madrileno	104	My Mariutch	99
Hare	102	*Pleasing	94

SIXTH RACE.—For maidens, three years old; special weights; six furlongs.

Question Mark	112	Ronnie Alan	112
Golden Pearl	112	Montauk	112
Fielder	112	Don Ottario	109
Carlton	112	Chaplet	109

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

STEWARDS LICENSE RIDERS.

Jockey Club Meeting Acts on Applications by Turf Professionals.

The Stewards of The Jockey Club, at a meeting held in the rooms of the club, in the Windsor Arcade, yesterday afternoon, acted on a long list of applications for jockeys' and trainers' licenses. In one case only was there a refusal to grant a license, the application of Robert I. Miller for a trainer's license being denied. The meeting laid on the table the following applications:

Jockeys—David Armstrong, Albert Boyling, Louis A. Smith, and William Beauchamp.
Trainers—George H. Avery, Robert Boyle, J. E. Cook, John Bettiner, Patrick McHale, Gerald W. Richardson, and Frank Wild.

Licenses were granted to the following:
Trainers—W. G. Brien, J. Gaylord Brown, John Connolly, Henry Craven, J. S. Flynn, Edward Feakes, John Hook, H. T. Hewitt, Benjamin Meyer, P. J. Maloney, John McMullen, W. H. McMullen, Jr., John Nixon, Preston Price, Frank Rector, C. F. Rockett, John Shields, Davis Sloan, William C. Wright, Charles S. Wilson, and George Warner.
Jockeys—Walter Brannon, Thomas Chandler, J. Conlin, Jr., David Englander, Samuel Francis, F. Herbert, James Hogg, Earl Haynes, James Hincheliffe, Theodore Koerner, Edward Leibert, George Moore, Paul Madura, J. W. Murphy, Willie Mulcahey, Charles Raynor, H. Shreve, George Swain, James Schaller, Charles E. White, and Charles Walker.

August Belmont, James R. Keene, and H. P. Whitney were appointed Stewards for the Spring meeting of the Westchester Racing Association at Belmont Park.

The application for reinstatement of George R. Bull, E. Engleking, H. P. Palmer, and Wayne Lewis, who participated in the unrecognized meeting of the Jamestown Jockey Club, were laid on the table.

Chance for Wrestlers in Olympic.

The Executive Committee of the American Olympic Games Committee has decided to hold wrestling try-outs, catch-as-can style, at the following weights: Bantam to 119 pounds, feather to 133 pounds, light to 147 pounds, middle to 161 pounds, heavy, over 161 pounds. Bouts limited to fifteen minutes. These try-outs will be held May 25 and 28, and are to be merely guides. Under no circumstance does the committee agree that the winners shall be sent. An entrance fee of $2 per man in each event will be charged. No prizes will be given, but an Olympic diploma will be awarded to the winners. Entries close with James B. Sullivan, 21 Warren Street, New York City, May 21.

Burns Tips Americans to Win.

LONDON, May 8.—"Tommy" Burns, heavyweight fighter, in an article in The Daily Mail this morning, entitled "Why America Leads in Sport," predicts that the Americans will win all of the chief events at the Olympic games, with the exception of the long-distance races, which will fall to England. He attributes America's superiority to sounder principles of training.

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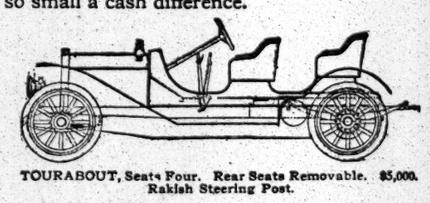

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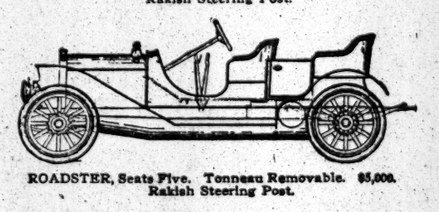

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GOLFERS UNDAUNTED BY WIND AND RAIN

Travis Leads Big Field of Enthusiasts in the Garden City Tournament.

CLOSE CALL FOR TRAVERS

National Champion Among Tailenders in First Cup Set—Herreshoff Abandons His Match.

Drenched to the skin, chilled to the bone, but keyed up to that pitch of enthusiasm that always characterizes the genuine golfer in tournament play, more than fifty members of local clubs and several from Philadelphia braved the discomforts of the worst storm of the season yesterday to play in the opening rounds of the Garden City Golf Club tournament. A more powerful demonstration of the strong hold that the famous Scotch game has upon its ardent devotees could not be imagined.

Despite these trials, the game went on strenuously, if not merrily. Walter J. Travis, thoroughly at home on his home links, surprised even the experts by turning in a card of 84. He got an early start, and did not catch the hardest part of the morning storm and wind until he had played about eight holes. It was, nevertheless, an exceptional performance, and was the only golfing score of the day really worth talking about. His card is:

Out	4	3	5	6	5	4	6	5	4—42
In	4	5	4	5	5	5	5	5	4—42—84

Charles H. Seely, an ex-metropolitan champion, and C. A. Spofford of the home club got 99 each, and these three scores were the only ones under 100. Jerome D. Travers, the National and local champion, took 106, and only got in the first cup set by winning one of the ties among nine players for the last four places. Both Travis and Travers won their match play rounds in the afternoon, but the luck of the draw brings these two champions together this morning in the second round, and the chances favor the former, as Travers is not up to his best game.

The day's play was characterized by many ludicrous scenes. One little caddie, after following his player for three holes, threw down the bag of clubs and refused to continue in the storm and ran to the caddie house for shelter as fast as his legs could carry him. Several of the prominent players who fell down badly, Frederick Herreshoff among them, finished the morning round so numb that they could scarcely put straight. Herreshoff, who just managed to squeeze into the second set through the withdrawal of two eligibles, was absolutely unable to play in the afternoon, and he tossed up with his partner, P. A. Fogerty, to see who should take the match, and Fogerty won.

It was impossible to thoroughly appreciate the many changes made to the links. Additional bunkers have been placed all over the course. The home green especially has been radically changed, a deep ditch being on the far side, making an over approach disastrous.

Those who qualified for the first two cups are:

PRESIDENT'S CUP.

	Out.	In.	Total.
W. J. Travis, Garden City	42	42	84
C. H. Seely, Wee Burn	51	48	99
C. A. Spofford, Garden City	52	47	99
W. L. Hicks, Nassau	51	49	100
H. V. Seggerman, St. Paul's	53	48	101
C. E. F. McCann, Englewood	50	52	102
C. E. Sawyer, Midland	50	53	103
James D. Foot, Apawamis	49	55	104
E. A. Thompson, Garden City	50	54	104
D. G. Smith, Wee Burn	52	53	105
Fred. Snare, Englewood	52	53	105
W. B. Rhett, Crescent A. C.	53	52	105
J. D. Travers, Montclair	51	55	106
P. H. Jennings, Garden City	51	55	106
A. W. Tillinghast, Philadelphia	54	52	106
W. G. Johnson, Wyoming Valley	54	52	106

HEMPSTEAD CUP.

W. C. Carnegie, St. Andrew's	56	50	106
E. F. Hart, Dyker Meadow	54	52	106
S. G. Batterson, Fox Hills	48	58	106
*John Van Vranken, Midland	57	49	106
*A. Barker, Dyker Meadow	57	49	106
P. A. Fogerty, Midland	51	56	107
Oscar Woodward, Montclair	55	53	108
Murray Olyphant, Englewood	49	59	108
H. S. Nichols, Midland	52	57	109
E. M. Barnes, Englewood	56	53	109
W. W. Pell, Canoe Brook	52	57	109
P. R. Jennings, Garden City	57	53	110
C. R. Gillett, Wykagyl	56	55	111
W. C. Shoup, Englewood	54	57	111
W. W. Brown, Philadelphia	58	54	112
W. R. Simons, Crescent A. C.	55	57	112
J. P. Kellogg, Garden City	58	55	113
Fred. Herreshoff, Garden City	48	66	114

*Withdrew.

The results of the match play rounds for each trophy were:

President's Cup, first match play round.—Travis beat Johnson, 8 up and 7 to play; Travers beat Snare, 6 up and 5 to play; Seely beat Foot, 2 up and 1 to play; Thompson beat Seggerman, 5 up and 3 to play; Spofford beat Smith by default; Tillinghast beat Rhett, 3 up and 2 to play; Sawyer beat Hicks, 7 up and 6 to play; McCann beat Jennings by default.

Hempstead Cup, first match play round.—Gillett beat Barnes by default; Simons beat Pell by default; Carnegie beat Brown, 6 up and 5 to play; Hunt beat Batterson, 6 up and 5 to play; Shoup beat Nichols, 3 up and 2 to play; Woodward beat Kellogg, 1 up; Fogerty beat Herreshoff by default; Olyphant beat Jennings by default.

New Yorkers Win Whist Trophy.

DETROIT, Mich., May 7.—Mrs. R. W. Bailey and Mrs. E. H. Martin of the Omaha Whist Club won the Philadelphia Cup in the Congress of the Women's National Whist League now in session here, and also made the highest single plus score for ladies in the combination team play. The Cincinnati Whist Club was a second for the Philadelphia Cup. Other results:

Boston Trophy—Tormey and St. Clair Clubs of Detroit, first, winning five out of six games; Cavendish of New York and Women's Whist League of Michigan, second.

Washington Trophy—New Amsterdam Club of New York, first, winning five matches out of five played; Women's Whist Club of Chicago, second.

Cavendish Trophy—Howell Whist Club of Boston, first, winning all of their four matches. Schon Gluck Club of Detroit, second.

Tryouts for Aspiring Swimmers.

The Executive Committee of the American Olympic Games Committee has decided to hold swimming try-outs during the first week in June at a point yet to be decided upon. The events will be as follows: 100 meters, 400 meters; 1,500 meters, 200 meters, breast stroke; 100 meters, back stroke; high diving, from five and ten meter boards, firm take-off; fancy diving, from one and three meter spring boards. The committee will select from the try-outs the men for the 200 meter team race. Entries close with James E. Sullivan, 21 Warren Street, New York City, on May 23. An entrance fee of $2 per man for each event will be charged. The try-outs will be held either at Travers Island, Verona Lake, or Silver Lake.

Billiardists Receive Prizes.

The closing scene in the international amateur 18.2 balk line championship tournament took place at the Liederkranz Club last night, when the contestants were the guests at a subscription dinner. Oscar Zietz, who presided, congratulated the winners upon the showing made during the tournament. In the distribution of prizes, Calvin W. Demarest, Chicago Athletic Club, received the championship trophy, which will be held by his club; a silver cup for individual honors, best average, and high run prizes. The second prize went to Lucien Re Rolle of France. C. E. Conklin, Chicago Athletic Club, and E. W. Gardner, Passaic, N. J., were awarded the third and fourth prizes, respectively.

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New York *Times*, May 3, 1908.

Mora's Six-Cylinder Record Run.—H. B. Odell of Buffalo has just finished a 1,000-mile non-stop engine sealed bonnet run in a six-cylinder Mora, which established a record for this type of car. The Mora six completed the run without mechanical adjustment of any nature, inside of forty-eight hours, an average of about twenty-one miles per hour. A Mora six-cylinder racytype was used on the run. Actual road conditions were encountered at all times, up and down the hills, through the towns, over unguarded railroad crossings, passing all kinds of vehicles.

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SQUADRON A POLO DINNER.

Games with West Point May Be Revived—Grand Stand Wanted.

A polo dinner was given last night by the Squadron A polo players at the Harvard Club to discuss plans for the coming season. Herbert H. Childs, the new Chairman of the Polo Committee, read a letter from Capt. Oliver of West Point, requesting two or three Squadron A players to visit West Point and teach the new cadets the rudiments of the game. Efforts are being made to revive the series of polo matches between West Point and Squadron A, but the military cadets are handicapped for proper time to practice, and they have thus far been unable to obtain suitable ponies.

A strong sentiment was expressed at the dinner to induce the men at the Military Academy to arrange a game with the squadron this season, the latter offering to play its second team, and if proper arrangements can be made the game may be played at Van Cortlandt Park.

Joseph H. Hunt and Leavitt J. Hunt both spoke very strongly in favor of obtaining a grand stand on the parade ground from which the public may witness the games more conveniently than is possible at present. Plans for a stand have already been made, but difficulty in obtaining the necessary appropriations from the Park Department has hitherto prevented the stand from being built. As the National polo championships are to be played at Van Cortlandt in the Fall, a strong effort will be made to have the grand stand built before that time. Among the others present at the dinner, besides those mentioned, were Louis Nellson, H. W. Cram, Lorillard Spencer, Jr., William Baylis, Jr., Alexander D. B. Pratt, Rodman Gilder, Anton H. Shefer, George Gilder, and George Peabody.

The Squadron A stables and country house at Van Cortlandt Park will be formally opened to-morrow. Two coaches, one the regular coach Squadron and another to be driven by J. H. Alexandre, Jr., will take up a number of members and friends, and the festivities will conclude with a polo match on the big field on the parade ground for the cup presented by Lieut. George E. Fahys.

Roosevelt Athletic League Meet.

The walls of the Seventy-first Regiment Armory, Park Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, will ring with the shouts of the members of the Roosevelt Athletic League at their fifth annual indoor meet to-morrow evening. The league, of which Dr. Edward W. Stitt is President, numbers as its members all the boys attending the public schools located between Ninth and Fifty-ninth Streets, Fifth Avenue and the East River. In addition to the usual dashes and relay races the league has this year introduced several innovations in the way of original races. One of these, a novelty race, will, in the originality of its conception, startle old followers of the cinder path. There will also be a 440-yard exhibition run between Arthur Crockett, the New York Athletic Club flier, and four midget runners of Public School 40.

A singing contest for prizes donated by the Hon. Kirkpatrick Brice will be interspersed among the athletic events. The schools competing and the songs on which they have pinned their hopes of winning the contest are: Public School 14, "The Last Rose of Summer"; Public School 18, "The Fisherman"; Public School 10, "Gay Hearts"; Public School 27, "Songs of the Vikings"; Public School 40, "O Italia, Italia, Beloved"; Public School 49, "Who Is Sylvia?"

Harris Wins Slow Billiard Game.

J. Harris defeated W. Baldridge last night in the three-cushion billiard tournament at Daly's billiard parlor, by the score of 80 to 20. The contest was long drawn out, the winner requiring 103 innings to complete his score. Leidig and Harris are paired in the schedule for to-night.

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MINNESOTA AND MASSACHUSETTS.

Gov. JOHNSON'S triumph in Minnesota was expected, and so gives his friends no new occasion for joy or confidence. At the primaries a very great majority of Johnson men have been chosen as delegates to the County Conventions, thus insuring a State Convention that will instruct the Denver delegates for the Governor, and this was the looked-for result. But the Governor's triumph is distinctly a reverse for Mr. BRYAN, since the Bryan workers had the hardihood to challenge Gov. JOHNSON in his own State, and they have been signally defeated. Their disappointment is so great that they are already talking of a State Convention of bolters, a proceeding so futile that it is doubtful if they will carry out their threat.

In Massachusetts, on the other hand, Bryan instructions have been given to the four delegates at large. This result, too, meets recent expectations, though a few weeks ago the opponents of Mr. BRYAN hoped for an uninstructed delegation. Opposition failed, however, but it had force enough to make the Convention a somewhat inharmonious body. The resolution of instructions for BRYAN led to a wrangle that kept the leaders and the Resolutions Committee busy through a long night session, and through a morning session held just before the meeting of the Convention. Even then reconsideration of the report was demanded, and denied in the Convention hall. But the delegates from Massachusetts must be set down for the candidate of defeat and disaster.

Now that the delegation from Minnesota is assured to Gov. JOHNSON, his candidacy begins to assume form and promise. The prospect of securing Johnson delegations in other States has visibly improved. If the delegates from those States where Mr. BRYAN is known to be unacceptable to the Democracy can be united in the support of Gov. JOHNSON he will become not only a formidable opponent of Mr. BRYAN in the Convention, but an instrument of his almost sure defeat. Counting the 22 delegates from Minnesota, the 6 delegates from Delaware instructed for Judge GRAY, the delegates already elected without instructions and known to be opposed to BRYAN, and adding those yet to be elected in States where there is every probability that no instructions will be given but where, according to the best information, opposition to BRYAN may confidently be counted on, we reach the formidable total of over 400 delegates who will go to Denver desiring and ready to work for the defeat of BRYAN. Under competent leadership these delegates can be brought to the support of Gov. JOHNSON.

The potent argument against the nomination of BRYAN is the absolute certainty of his defeat. That ought to suffice for building up a coherent opposition. Four hundred delegates resolutely held together through two or three ballots would in all probability prevent his nomination, for then even his own friends, if they are sincere Democrats, would see the necessity of his withdrawal. A candidate whom no reasonable man expects to be elected, and who, after a fair test of his strength in the balloting, failed to command the necessary two-thirds in the Convention, would have no right to insist upon continuing in the lists.

The union of the anti-Bryan and uninstructed delegates upon the name of Gov. JOHNSON now affords the best possible chance of taking Mr. BRYAN'S fatal name out of the campaign. The nomination of JUDSON HARMON for Governor in Ohio is of hopeful augury. The Republicans of that State are in the midst of a bitter quarrel. With the names of Gov. JOHNSON and Judge HARMON upon the ticket, two of the strongest Democratic names in the country, the carrying of that usually Republican State would not be beyond the range of possibility. There is enough of Republican discord and factional quarrel, not only in Ohio, but in other States and all over the country, to give the Democrats better occasion for hope than they have had in sixteen years. They can elect a candidate whose name would unite and bring it to its old position of numerical strength. But a uniting candidate is the indispensable condition of success.

THE PROMISE OF THE CROPS.

Declining produce markets precede the official report of crop conditions now due, and accompany the unofficial but adequate reports compiled by our contemporary The Journal of Commerce. The reports may differ in detail, but they must agree in the showing that the crop outlook is exceptionally promising. Seldom is the Winter-killed wheat smaller, seldom is a broader area under cultivation, seldom do we have a higher condition. And almost never, it may be added, do we have these three conditions together. We have never quite harvested a half billion bushels of Winter wheat, but we are likely to come as near to it this year as ever before. This happy prospect is accompanied by another factor which emphasizes the inferences from these facts—there is not likely to be too much grain, however much there may be. Not only is our domestic consumption larger every year, but this year there is likely to be a generous foreign demand.

With Kansas producing 110,000,000 bushels because of conditions which promise a like ample yield in other States, at a time when the grain is already heading, the crop may be said to be so near harvest that the rest of the way is likely to be a "rocky road for the crop killer." Those are the words of Secretary COLBURN, who added that this wet weather was very hard on the ingenuity which had been ruining the farmers by lack of moisture. And these considerations apply to other crops than Winter wheat. Cool, damp Springs may be unpleasant to city dwellers, but they produce a plant well rooted and nourished, and in best condition to withstand the warm growing weather which is sure to come, and to mature a growth which perhaps it might wither after a Spring pleasanter for those who think more about the weather for fly fishing than for harvesting.

A SPECULATION FOR THE CITY?

Mr. CALVIN TOMKINS has filed with the Governor the argument which he made before the Mayor against the amendments to the Elsberg rapid transit law. It may not be safe to assume that he will have the same ill-success before the Governor as before the unsympathetic Mayor. In any case, he raises points which are worth considering upon their merits, apart from their important immediate bearing upon this specific measure. His contention in principle is that the city should assume the construction of public utilities wherever the results are not certain, since private capital will not take that risk, and will build only where profits are sure and large.

This is a novel proposition, and might well be checked in the case of the subways before its application is enlarged. Hitherto the sound doctrine has been that American cities should undertake only certainties, and works of universal enjoyment. The idea of profit has not entered into American city enterprises for two reasons—because profit implies loss, and because it is improper that taxpayers' funds should be used in works of limited enjoyment. Waterworks are an example of what has been regarded as a proper use of public funds. Everybody pays taxes and everybody drinks water. But although everybody would pay rapid transit taxes not everybody would ride on the road built with public funds. Every one would have an equal opportunity to ride, but many would be so situated that their use of the city route would be restricted. There would be a universal distribution of the burden of the construction, and an unequal distribution of the benefits. Moreover, the experience of other cities teaches that competition between public and private transit enterprises is unfortunate, leading to manifold complications. If Mr. TOMKINS means to argue that all construction should be by the city he may strengthen his case with those of that way of thinking, but he will meet the implacable dissent of those who oppose municipal ownership.

The idea that speculative subway building should preferably be done with public funds contradicts both theory and practice. The idea of profit in American city activities has always been in the background, and should remain there. Waterworks may produce profits, but they are not run for profit, but for reasons of sanitation, which are improperly left in private hands. Docks have brought New York profit, but the net returns have been halved, and are dwindling, under the demonstration that profits from docks cost more in the burden upon commerce than the city can stand. The opportunity for profit is perfect, but the profit cannot be taken. It would work the same way in any transit enterprise. As soon as a profit appeared the demand for increased accommodation or reduced fares would spring up, and be settled, not according to economic considerations, but as a political matter. The result would be a division of loss where private enterprise might perhaps produce a profit.

Moreover, it has not been the fact that private capital shirks speculative operations. It will take almost unlimited risks when it is sure of enjoyment of the profits, if earned. If the basis of enterprise is to be disturbed by legislation in deference to popular hysteria, neither public nor private capital should be risked. And it is especially improper that tax money should be spent in public works which redound so largely to private profit as is the case when railways are built to enlarge real estate values. Rapid transit is something more than a railway speculation. It is a real estate speculation, and the enlargement of real estate values by the use of tax money is something sure to provoke borough jealousies and work individual injustices. The economic solution is the only true solution, and legislation should do nothing more than insure fair play.

CHIEF WILKIE'S MEN.

According to The Tribune's Washington correspondent, the President has written to Speaker CANNON expressing his views, and those of his Cabinet, against the House's limitation of the services of Chief WILKIE'S Secret Service men. In his letter Mr. ROOSEVELT adverted to the time when he was Police Commissioner in this city, declaring that, in his experience, when an influential citizen was detected in crime pressure was immediately exerted to "fire the cop," and he concluded by warning the Speaker against influences that seek to cripple the enforcement of Federal laws. He showed, further, that if the House amendment to the Civil Service bill shall become law it will cut off all the departments, including the Department of Justice and of the Interior, from the best organized detective service in the world.

The pretext upon which the amendment passed the House was that men had been detailed from the Secret Service to private cases, such as "shadowing" unfaithful husbands. Upon examination the charges were found to have not a shred of solid supporting evidence. There is plenty of evidence, however, that the Federal "sleuths" have been unusually successful in their investigation of land frauds, lotteries, the San Francisco "graft ring," and the unlawful doings of agents of the Beef and Oil Trusts. Unless Congress shall provide the equivalent of the services which its prohibitive clause cuts off the effect of such an enactment will be in favor of powerful criminals.

THE LAPORTE MYSTERY.

If terror and pity are not stirred all over the country by the gruesome revelations following the exploration of Widow GUNNESS'S farmyard in Laporte, Ind., it is because the record of crime thus laid bare is so extraordinary and grotesque that it is difficult to realize all its details. One is reminded of the old wives' tales before bedtime on Winter nights, of the preposterous witch of "Hänsel und Gretel," of Bluebeard's string of strangled women, tales that nobody ever believed, fictitious horrors with which gentle children are willing to be gently scared. Such an astounding tale of wholesale, brutal, premeditated murder is not easily absorbed, and the theory that, besides conducting an effective and profitable murder shop of her own, the industrious widow also had what an ingenious reporter terms a "murder fence," where for a consideration she received the bodies of the victims of other murderers, and hid them in the ground, is too startling to be quickly accepted.

In spite of the seeming evidences of the foulest kind of foul play, we still hope it will be proved that Mrs. GUNNESS was no murderess, but a coarse, thrifty woman who picked up occasionally an honest, if unclean, penny by disposing of cadavers for medical students of her neighborhood. The accounts of the condition of the exhumed bodies, however, do not support this theory.

The record is not devoid of cases as horrible, as shockingly abnormal, as this, but they are rare. The most brutal man will generally shrink from killing, and if he kill in passion, in self-defense, or for gain, will be ever apprehensive of discovery, a prey to fear if not remorse. We scarcely believe now all the tales of murder told about the Romans and the degenerates of the Middle Ages. Yet the worst of them is not worse than this story of the Indiana widow, who called herself rich, enticed suitors to her house with their savings in their pockets, and then killed them or had them killed. The supposed murderess and her victims seem to be in a class apart from the generality of mankind. If the widow of Laporte was really what she now seems to be she had little or none of the attributes which distinguish man from the beasts; she must have been a stranger to sympathy and sentiment, devoid alike of pity and fear, unmoved by the sight of blood, and free from any sense of responsibility. Yet she was a mother, and, presumably, fond of her children.

THE CITY HALL.

The restoration of the interior of our famous old City Hall is once more an uppermost topic. The report that Mrs. SAGE, who some time ago undertook to pay for the restoration of the Governor's Room, will increase her gift to $250,000 to restore all the interior, is gratifying and encourages the hope that the simple, handsome building in the City Hall Park may be preserved as an ornament to the city and an esteemed landmark. The interior of the building has been made hideous, through the efforts of succeeding generations to modernize it. It can, undoubtedly, be restored to its original simple beauty, and yet be made convenient and "modern" enough for the purposes to which it is devoted.

But the announcement of the plan has called forth an unexpected protest. We have been accustomed to call the exterior of the City Hall a fine example of architecture. Yet one of our older readers, Mr. C. W. WATSON, in a letter printed in THE TIMES yesterday, declares that the exterior is not what it was before the dome and part of the roof were destroyed by fire, and urges that the restoration of this part of the building is more important than the proposed transformation of the interior. Mr. WATSON infers that many persons still remember the building as it was before the fire, but the fire occurred in the early morning of Aug. 18, 1858, nearly fifty years ago, and probably few remember it clearly.

There had been, the night before, a display of fireworks on the roof to celebrate the futile laying of the first Atlantic cable. This caused the fire which burned the cupola and the greater part of the dome. When the roof was rebuilt the fire alarm bell was removed and placed in a tower which stood for many years in the park. But it is not a matter of common knowledge that the appearance of the exterior of the building was materially changed. A picture of the City Hall in 1812 (in the "Memorial History of the City of New York") so closely resembles the City Hall of to-day, clock-tower and all, that it is impossible to detect the change in the architectural lines of which Mr. WATSON complains. The foundation stone of the building was laid in 1803 by Mayor EDWARD LIVINGSTON, and it was completed in 1806.

What hope the managers of the Federal Old Soldiers' Homes had of restoring the canteen to their charges was destroyed by the vote, 167 to 46, with which the House on Wednesday adopted the provision depriving them of support where bars were maintained. We published the other day the reports of the managers that, from California to Maine, and especially in the Prohibition State, the old soldiers are being debauched by villainous liquors sold, to them at neighboring dives and by the pocket peddlers. Deaths in the homes from acute alcoholism have increased alarmingly since the canteens were abolished. Their continued abolition is not a temperance measure, and, it is safe to say, no Congressman who voted for it deludes himself into thinking so.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Sentiment Mourns for Ferries.

A good many of the people who yesterday read "A. M. C.'s" letter on the substitution of "holes in the ground for ferries" must have felt a little thrill of sympathy for the opinion there so vehemently expressed. Subconsciously, no doubt, all except a few of the many people also felt that the letter was an amusing piece of sentimental nonsense, since the superiority of the under-river tunnels to the over-river, or in-river, boats for all the real, that is, direct, purposes of transportation is too obvious for serious denial, or even for reasonable question.

Still, the morning and evening rides on the ferryboats were often pleasant episodes in a working day—far pleasanter than rides through the tunnels will ever be. When the weather conditions were just right the passengers were provided gratis with the best of air, having what they liked to consider a fine salty smell. To interest them there was spread out a noble panorama of big and little ships picturesquely going about their prosaic business, while the water glistened almost as brightly as if it hadn't been a concentrated solution of sewage and the neighboring cities did their best to look pretty and virtuous—and succeeded rather well as long as they had the charm which amiable distance generously lent them.

All these things were appreciated and enjoyed—by the occasional traveler to whom they were novel. The twice-a-day-and-all-the-year-round passengers, or ninety-nine in every hundred of them, paid no attention whatever to "the view," but read their papers as calmly as wind and sunshine permitted until the time came to crowd into the bow of the boat preparatory to being one of the first to disembark with a haste clearly showing an inner irritation with the delays of a water journey. In bad days, especially when fog or ice made river navigation difficult and dangerous, the ferry rides were the very reverse of restful and invigorating.

The tunnels are not adapted for sightseeing tours, but they have notable advantages in the way of enabling people who want to get somewhere to do it with ease, comfort, speed, and certainty. Our correspondent spoke with lofty contempt of saving a few minutes' time in going to and from business daily, but the saving is of more than a few minutes, and it means more than this particular economy—it means having more time for getting, in better conditions than the ferryboats provided, exactly the joys which his letter so feelingly described.

Considered as ends, the ferry rides were preferable—in good weather—to the tunnel rides, but as means they could not compare with them, and, as for us and our house, we are heartily glad that the ferries are gone, or going rapidly.

A Waste of Time and Words.

It is hard to see what advantage is derived or can be expected from public debates of social and economic problems between antagonists as far apart as Prof. SELIGMAN and Mr. HILLQUIT, especially when the oratorical combat takes place before an audience like those which gather on such occasions in Cooper Union.

Those audiences are far from being unintelligent, illiterate, or ill-intentioned, but when such a topic for discussion is announced as that which received attention Wednesday evening the gathering is sure to be composed almost entirely of people who go there with minds made up. The chance that they will be in any degree affected by spoken argument is infinitesimal, and the possibility of changing them from radicalism to conservatism is smaller still.

As a matter of fact, the spoken word, at least from a public platform or in the legislative chamber, is no longer expected by anybody to affect the opinion of the hearers, and it practically never does so. Nowadays, oratory, what little is left of it, is effective only as an appeal to emotion and an arouser of enthusiasm in those already convinced. Its one other use is as a convenient road to the newspaper column. The man with a real argument to present on any subject wastes his time unless he can get it into print, for then only can it be judged on its merits.

In oral controversy, now as always, facts and logic make a poor showing against passion and sonorous rhetoric, and these are exactly the qualities in which a debater like Mr. HILLQUIT is almost sure to be superior to one like Prof. SELIGMAN.

On this particular occasion, as it happened, the radical speaker offended and disgusted many even of those who naturally would have been on his side by making a savage, senseless, and grotesquely irrelevant attack on President ROOSEVELT as the foe of labor. This should render further public controversy with him out of the question with decent people.

Danger of Fire in Schools.

After the recent burning out in Ohio of a schoolhouse with most of the children in it, New Yorkers were confidently assured that no such disaster need be feared here. Now comes the Fire Commissioner, with a report based on examinations made by his subordinates, in which he notifies the Board of Education that thirteen of its schools are so dangerous that they should be closed immediately and that over 500 other buildings used by the board for school purposes are in instant need of repairs and alterations to be reasonably safe.

This report will undoubtedly cause a large amount of public anxiety and increase the peril of panics among the children in case of small alarm, but it is, in effect, and as regards all except the worst structures left over from another day, merely a statement of what we all knew before, that only our newer schoolhouses are well designed and approximately fireproof. In the large majority of them the chances of a great tragedy are presumably extremely small—as small as those which enter into the daily lives of us all and are accepted as the inevitable consequences of city life.

The firemen examined and reported as specialists. All their advice is presumably good, but it is impracticable to take all good advice. Just the same, this good advice should be heeded and the dangers pointed out removed as soon as possible, the worst at once and the others as rapidly as they can be taken up. The Board of Education has now been warned, and, what is more important, the public has been put in a position to draw its own conclusion between that board's reassurances as to the condition of the schoolhouses and the contrary assertions of the Battalion Chiefs. In both, doubtless, there is some exaggeration, but the fact that the schools are not what they ought to be is fairly manifest.

THE QUESTION OF BRAINS.

A Woman's Defense Against Masculine Scorn of Her Sex.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I admire the members of my sex for disregarding with such a topiottical contempt the aspersions against their mentality printed each day in this department of THE TIMES. But when we are read out of meeting by means of a Merry Widow hat I rise to a point of order.

Ideas we may not have—and if not we seem to have concealed the alleged fact very cleverly, for it appears only now to have come to light—but should the sex masculine deplore this so much? Do we not thus have a part in society as foils for our more fortunate brethren? Can you imagine a more dismal incident than the meeting between a man loaded to the muzzle with information, incontrovertible opinions, and a woman who could pass a civil service examination on any subject he might introduce? The good listeners play as important a part in a conversation as the good talkers.

Then, too, is it possible to soothe the aching head with a quotation from Horace? or bind up the broken heart by a learned treatise on the efficacy of "Lachesis"?

Oh, Woman! in our hours of ease,
Uncertain, coy, and hard to please,
When pain and anguish wring the brow,
A ministering angel thou!"

New York, May 7, 1908. M. C.

Reubens.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Far be it from me to gloat over the misfortunes of my brother, but I must rise to say that my tears are not mingled to any great extent with those of the reubens, city and country, who fought with tiger-like ferocity on a recent Saturday morning to buy "Yukon" for $7.50 per at the behest of a "certain person" from Boston long famous as the author of many tips that failed.

G. TINKER ALDRICH.

New York, May 6, 1908.

How Many Dogs in Manhattan?

To the Editor of The New York Times:

A friend of mine, who is a great admirer of dogs, says there are not more than 10,000 of these animals in Manhattan Borough. I, who do not dislike a quiet, well-behaved dog, maintain that our canine population is at least 50,000. Is there any way of ascertaining the truth? MISS H. F.

New York, May 4, 1908.

Youthful Offenders.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The complaint of roller skating in the streets, and a description of a painful accident to an aged woman resulting, exemplify the indifference of the public and the lack in administration of law against youthful offenders, whose absolute freedom of action and speech in public highways and conveyances points very clearly to the true source of our increasing criminal adult class. DISCIPLINE.

New York, May 5, 1908.

Women Must Save Themselves.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The neglected responsibilities of many men in the sauve qui peut atmosphere of to-day make a strong argument for the possession of brains by women, who must do because the husbands or fathers will not. THE OTHER SIDE.

New York, May 6, 1908.

Impatient.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Why not remove the tracks of the Fourth Avenue cars in Park Row? They run only about one car an hour on them. A CITIZEN.

New York, May 7, 1908.

THE VOICE OF THE TIP.

I am the Tip,
With my nip,
Nip,
Nip,
Here, there,
And everywhere;
And the man who dares deny me,
Who thinks he can defy me,
Is nothing but a drab
To be shoved into the corner
By all the sons of grab.
Oh, say,
Don't try
To get away;
It's up to you to quit or pay.
What do I care if I'm servile?
What do I care if I stand
For the spirit you say your forefathers
Brought to this great, free land?
I come of a different spirit
That cringes with suppliant knee
And is ready for kicks and for curses
So long as it gets its fee.
Now take that,
Right from the bat,
Will you? And say,
Treat my people as you will,
I'll lick the hand that pays the bill.
And yet,
You mustn't forget
That I command and you obey,
For you're too spineless
Not to pay.
That's me,
See?
So pay what I call for,
That's what you're all for,
And I am the boss of the whole grafting pinch.
Your great Declaration
Of Freedom's negation;
You think it is something.
I know it's a bum thing,
For the Tip is the tyrant
That holds down the cinch.

W. J. LAMPTON.

TELLER ATTACKS BONAPARTE.

Charges Him with Indiscretion in Spending Appropriated Funds.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Charges of indiscretion in spending Government funds were made to-day by Senator Teller against the Department of Justice during the discussion of the Agricultural Appropriation bill.

Teller objected to the practice of including large sums in appropriation bills to be expended at the discretion of the heads of departments or bureaus. He insisted that there never was a case of such appropriations being made that would not disclose misuse of the Federal money.

Senator Foraker asked if he knew of any cases to illustrate his charge.

"I do," retorted Teller. "There is the case of a former employe of the Department of Justice who went to New York City to practice law. He had held a position in the department at $5,000 a year. He found that he could not make as much money in New York as he had made in the Government service, so he returned to Washington.

"On his return here there was no vacancy for him in the department. The Attorney General appointed him a special counsel, and his fee was $16,000. The Attorney General has acknowledged that it was paid."

The Senator also called attention to the case of F. J. Heney, who has been conducting the land fraud cases in the West for the Government as a special counsel. He declared Heney had received a fee of $50,000 from the Government for this work.

Teller attacked the heavy appropriation contained in the bill for the support of the Forestry Service, which he denounced in strong terms. As a result the entire bill went over until to-morrow.

"UNCLE JOE" IS 72.

Speaker Forgot All About It Till He Was Reminded.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Speaker Cannon was 72 years old to-day. A constant stream of visitors called on him at the Capitol throughout the day to express their congratulations. Late in the afternoon the Illinois delegation came in a body, and after speeches by both Republican and Democratic members, presented the Speaker with an enormous bouquet of roses. No reference was made to Mr. Cannon's candidacy for the Presidency.

In the House Champ Clark, minority leader in the absence of John Sharp Williams, broke all rules in order to express the congratulations of his followers before a recess was taken.

"I want to know," said Mr. Clark, "whether this is the Speaker's birthday."

The Speaker bowed.

"Then I want to wish him many happy returns of the day."

Upon motion of Mr. Macon, a Democrat from Arkansas, the House recessed without a roll call for the first time since the Democrats began their filibuster, out of respect for the Speaker.

The fact that the weight of years has not worried the Speaker much was attested by a remark he made when a member reminded him of his natal day. "By Jove," he said, "I hadn't thought anything about it."

MORE PUBLISHERS HEARD.

One Tells of Vain Search for Competition on Print Paper.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—A new set of publishers from widely scattered sections of the country added their testimony to-day to what has been said already before the House committee investigating the paper industry as to the arbitrary methods and widespread influence of the International Paper Company. Among them were W. E. Gardner, publisher of The Syracuse Post-Standard, and M. E. Bunnell, publisher of The Duluth News-Tribune.

Mr. Gardner testified that after the International Company had put his price up to $2.50 a hundred pounds, he had tried to place his contract elsewhere with no success. To meet this increased cost he had been forced to put up advertising rates and reduce the size of his paper.

Mr. Bunnell said that he thought there was no real competition between the mills in this country.

In the debate on the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill to-day Mr. Olmsted of Pennsylvania read a letter from a publisher expressing the view that the high price of paper was due to a combination in restraint of trade and not to the tariff.

PRESIDENT AT PINE KNOT

With Mrs. Roosevelt and Naturalist Burroughs for a Brief Outing.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt and a small party left to-day for a week-end outing at Pine Knot, Mrs. Roosevelt's country home in the hills near Charlottesville, Va. Included in the party is John Burroughs, the naturalist.

The party left here at 11:30 o'clock on a special train. The stretch of 130 miles over the Southern Railway was covered in easy fashion.

A delegation of University of Virginia students were at the station at Charlottesville, and the President addressed them briefly. He referred to the fact that John Greenway, a former Virginia student, was "one of the best men" in his regiment.

NORTH GARDEN, Va., May 7.—President Roosevelt's special reached the Southern Railway station here at 2:50 o'clock this afternoon. The trip was without any unusual incident. The party immediately entered carriages and drove to Pine Knot.

BAR COPPER-TREATED FOODS.

Green-Colored Vegetables Will Not Be Admitted After Jan. 1 Next.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Foods greened with copper salts will not be entitled to entry into the United States under the pure food and drugs law after Jan. 1 next, according to a decision to-day of the Board of Food and Drug Inspection, consisting of Secretaries Cortelyou, Wilson, and Straus.

Until that time all vegetables so treated, but not containing an excessive amount of copper and which are otherwise suitable for food, will be admitted, inasmuch as contracts had already been made for the present year's pack.

The label, however, must state that copper salts have been used to color the vegetables.

COMMODITY CLAUSE REPORT.

Commerce Board Will Tell Why It Has Taken No Action.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission, in response to the Foraker resolution commanding it to explain to the Senate why the commodities clause of the rate law was not being enforced, will report that only seven days have elapsed since the law became operative, and in that period the commission has had no time to take action. Then the commission has been expecting that the Department of Justice would institute a test case to determine the constitutionality of the law.

WON'T CUT PANAMA WAGES.

President Wins His Fight for High Pay on the Isthmus.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—By an overwhelming vote the House to-day rejected the provision in the Sundry Civil bill limiting wages of skilled labor on the Isthmus of Panama to 125 per cent. of the current wages paid in this country. The vote was reached in committee of the whole House after a spirited debate. The President and Secretary Taft had opposed the limitation most vigorously.

INSURGENTS INSIST ON ASSET CURRENCY

Threaten to Bolt if Measure Does Not Accord with Conference Plan.

WORKING TO PERFECT BILL

Senator Carter Declares That Postal Savings Banks Would Strengthen Entire Financial Situation.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The special committee appointed by the Republican conference last night to "perfect" a bill recognizing the use of commercial paper through Clearing House Associations as a safe asset for an emergency currency held its first meeting to-day.

The general trend of the discussion indicated that the bill to be reported to the conference on Monday will allow the associations to pass sole judgment on the securities offered by the bank wishing to make the emergency issue. No redemption plan was taken up by the committee.

The anxiety of the committee is in regard to the attitude of the insurgents, who assert they have forty votes in the conference. In an effort to obtain harmony among the Republicans and following Mr. Vreeland's statement last night that they had decided to bring in a bill "that would suit everybody," Representative Knowland of California, Secretary of the special committee, to-day sent a letter to every Republican member of the House soliciting an expression of opinion and asking the following questions:

1. Would you favor limiting the authorized issue of notes under the bill to an amount less than $750,000,000?
2. Would you favor the requirement that the members of associations should be located in contiguous territory?
3. Would you permit more than one association in any one city?
4. Would you favor making the banks of all associations jointly and severally liable for all notes issued by its constituent members?

The insurgents demand that the committee report a bill strictly in accordance with the resolution favoring commercial paper through Clearing House Associations as an asset, with some adequate provision for redemption of the issue to protect the Treasury. Representative Prince said to-day that unless these demands are met, forty Republicans will bolt.

No Republican conference on anti-injunction will be called until after the adjourned conference of the currency question.

Senator Carter, in bringing up the Postal Savings Bank bill to-day, gave as his main argument in favor of the establishment of postal depositaries that they would not only strengthen the whole financial structure of the country, but would draw hoarded funds from their hiding places. He startled the Senate by declaring that the Treasury Department had discovered that fully one-third of the currency of the United States was withdrawn from circulation by those who were afraid to trust it to the banks.

8,000 SAILORS IN PARADE.

March Through San Francisco's Streets —Evans Grandly Welcomed.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—Eight thousand bluejackets and marines, the largest armed force the American Navy ever put ashore in time of peace—or war—were landed to-day from the combined Atlantic and Pacific fleets, now lying in the harbor, and marched through the beautifully decorated streets of San Francisco. Twenty-five hundred soldiers of the regular army, in full dress array, acted as an escort to the sailormen.

Rear Admiral Evans, and the six other Rear Admirals, rode in carriages. Admiral Evans had a most magnificent reception from the assembled thousands who watched the parade.

Secretary of the Navy Metcalf, Gov. Gillett of California, and Mayor Taylor of San Francisco reviewed the procession as it it counter-marched down Van Ness Avenue.

In addition to the Federal soldiers and sailors there were large representations from the National Guard and from semi-military veteran and civic organizations. A battalion of natty little high school cadets, from Salt Lake City, acted as personal escort to Admiral Evans, in token of his having been appointed to the Naval Academy from Utah.

The marines, 1,200 strong, headed the naval forces, Major Dion Williams being in command. The bluejackets were commanded by Capt. Seaton Schroeder of the Virginia.

At the Fairmount Hotel to-day Gov. Gillett and his staff entertained at dinner in honor of Secretary Metcalf and the flag and commanding officers of the fleet. Admiral Evans was unable to attend, his place being taken by Rear Admiral Thomas, who responded to the welcome to the Atlantic fleet.

Secretary Metcalf will review the anchored fleets to-morrow from the gunboat Yorktown.

HEAD OF LINCOLN ACCEPTED.

Borglum's Marble to be Placed in Capitol—Gift of Eugene Meyer, Jr.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The joint committee of Congress on the library to-day adopted a resolution accepting on behalf of the Government a marble head of Abraham Lincoln executed by Gutzon Borglum, and presented by Eugene Meyer, Jr., of New York. It will have a conspicuous place in the Capitol, and a tablet will be attached bearing the following words: "Presented to the Congress by Eugene Meyer, Jr., of New York City."

The head has been pronounced by art authorities to be not only a wonderful piece of sculpture, but a marvelously exact portrait. Mr. Borglum read to the committee to-day a letter from Robert Lincoln, in which he says: "It is the most extraordinarily good portrait of my father I have ever seen."

CARDINAL ON WASHINGTON.

Primate of Ireland Puts a Wreath on the Tomb at Mount Vernon.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Cardinal Logue, the Primate of Ireland, and several other prelates paid a visit to-day to Mount Vernon, where his Eminence placed a wreath on the tomb of George Washington. The Cardinal paid a high compliment to the memory of George Washington, saying that he admired the simplicity of the man who retired to such a beautiful country place, where he lived without ostentation.

This morning Cardinal Logue attended an entertainment by the children of St. Patrick's Academy. He spoke to the children concerning the schools of Ireland, and paid a high compliment to the parochial schools in the United States.

Representative W. Bourke Cockran of New York entertained Cardinal Logue at dinner at his residence here to-day.

$5,000 Monument to Pocahontas.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Pocahontas is to have a monument. A tardy Government finally has appropriated $5,000 for the erection of a shaft at Jamestown on the spot where the daughter of Powhatan saved Capt. John Smith. The statue has been designed by William Ordway Partridge of New York City.

BISHOPS FAVOR NEW AMUSEMENT CLAUSE

Methodists Want Dancing, Cards, and Theatres Removed as Church Trial Causes.

EPISCOPAL ADDRESS READ

Church Has Gained 278,357 Communicants in Last Four Years — Approves Work of Labor Unions.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 7.—Bishop Goodsell of Boston stirred the Quadrennial General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church when he read the episcopal address to-day by recommending an amendment of the clause touching on the amusement question.

Although the clauses relative to the liquor question, which condemned the saloon in unqualified terms, roused the conference to the greatest enthusiasm, terminating with the singing of "America" and the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," the statement of the Bishops in regard to amusements created the greatest impression.

The address recommends that from Paragraph 248 certain words, indicated but not quoted in the address, be stricken out. The exact words are "dancing, playing at games of chance, attending theatres, horse races, circuses, dancing parties, or patronizing dancing schools, or taking such other." This recommendation is followed immediately by the declaration of the Bishops that grave injustice will be done if their recommendation is interpreted as an abandonment of early opposition to worldly amusement, and that it is, indeed, a return to the principles and exact words of John Wesley.

Hostility to Saloon.

In the indictment of the saloon the episcopal address declared that the only attitude of the Methodist Episcopal Church was of relentless hostility to the liquor traffic; that it was the greatest crime against the human family; was murderous in its remorseless work, and that it "deserved neither pity nor sympathy." The conference adopted a resolution favorable to the Littlefield Interstate Liquor Shipment bill now before Congress. The resolution will be placed before Speaker Cannon to-morrow.

In supporting the resolution Gov. Hoch of Kansas declared that the greatest obstacle to the enforcement of the prohibitory laws was the attitude of the National Government. He set the delegates cheering by saying that under prohibition laws Kansas was enjoying a greater degree of prosperity than any of the licensed States.

Dr. James M. Buckley, editor of The New York Christian Advocate, again heads the Episcopal Committee. Two of the Bishops are not in good health, but desire to continue their work, but it is not improbable that the committee will suggest that they go on the retired list in order to save themselves from breakdown.

It is believed that eight Bishops will be chosen, but as the report will probably not be made for two weeks, the election will not take place until well toward the close of the sessions.

The Episcopal Address.

Bishop Daniel A. Goodsell of Boston read the episcopal address to the conference. It notes a gain in the number of communicants during the past four years of 278,857, the greatest gain during any similar period for sixteen years. The total "pastoral army" numbers 20,161. These, according to the address, preach the Gospel in 150 languages and dialects. The address says:

"The total gain in church property for the four years last past is $32,678,431, while the total valuation of our churches and parsonages is $186,924,024. Our membership in the United States is now 3,036,000, while in the whole world the number is 3,307,275 at the close of 1907. Our foreign communicants number 267,000."

Touching the support of the ministry the address says:

"While we still insist that it is unwise to plan for emoluments in the church which are likely to make the accidents of salary and house more attractive than the work itself, it is of the highest wisdom to offer such support as secures freedom from anxiety, as well as modest provision for intelligence, culture, and education of children."

The matter of ministerial appointments is treated thus:

"If there be increasing difficulties in any degree as to making appointments it is because of growing interference on the part of ministers and laymen with the judgment of the Bishops as to what is best for the work, since ministers demand to be kept within the range of the more lucrative charges, because they have had one or two of that sort, and they feel humiliated and degraded if they are sent even to a small reduction."

It is declared that the Church has not yet reached unanimity touching the removal of the time limit from the pastorate.

In the course of a discussion of civic righteousness the address says:

"We see clearly that within the next generation there are to be great social changes. The influence of wealth on political life and measures is to grow less, whether it be in the hands of individuals or corporations. The workingmen are to have more power, the idlers less. With a restless and iconoclastic future before us, we must both lead and restrain by religious forces."

As to divorce:

"The consecutive polygamy permitted by the divorce laws of some of our States is a disgrace to our country. We greatly rejoice that the conscience of the Nation is being quickened on this subject, and that the demand for uniform divorce laws increases."

In the section devoted to child labor the address says:

"In the name of Jesus Christ we protest against the sacrifice of childhood on the altar of Mammon, whether it be by the sloth of parents or the greed of proprietors. We demand from legislators such laws as will, in securing freedom to children from exhausting toil, contribute to the vitality, the growth, and the moral power and moral sense of all youthful employes."

The Bishops have quite a little to say as to workingmen and the Church and as to trades unions.

The address upholds the right of workingmen to form labor unions, and says that the Church and unions should seek each other's help to uplift mankind.

Church Society Reports.

The reports of the Board of Church Extension and the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension were submitted.

The report was in part as follows: "We think that the present general conference should order that the Sunday School collections during the coming quadrennium should be evenly divided between the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension and the Board of Foreign Missions.

"We very much need a great increase in the loan fund. There are places where the rates of interest are exorbitant. If we had an increase of even a quarter of a million in our loan fund it would be a great blessing to many struggling churches.

The report of the Publishing Agents of the Methodist Book Concern in New York said:

"The total sales during the quadrennium have been $4,175,019, showing an increase over the previous quadrennium of $577,327. The net profits have been $735,099, an increase over the previous four years of $231,911. After providing for the payment of the last dollar of indebtedness we closed our last fiscal year with cash on hand of $54,899, together with surplus investments and fire fund reserve amounting to $668,718, making the total of cash and surplus at the end of the year $723,618."

WANTS NEW HYMNAL.

Episcopal Church Clubs Hear Recommendation for Fresher Tunes.

ST. LOUIS, May 7.—The final session of the sixteenth annual National Conference of Episcopal Church Clubs of the United States was held to-day. A number of addresses were made. Divorce and remarriage were condemned as "the curse of the country."

John Thompson, Public Librarian of Philadelphia, made an address, recommending that the Hymnal used in Episcopal churches, which was compiled fourteen years ago, be revised and such hymns as were unattractive and unpoetical be eliminated and new, attractive ones put in their places. He said the hymnal lacked enough hymns for the festivals of the Church.

CONSISTORY IS POSTPONED.

Put Off Until September to Make It Coincide with Pope's Jubilee.

ROME, May 7.—According to a semi-official statement made at the Vatican to-day, the Pope has postponed his Consistory from June until September, wishing it to coincide with his priesthood jubilee.

Patrick K. Cahill of Dublin, optician to the Pope, was received in private audience by his Holiness to-day. He presented the Pope as a jubilee gift a pair of lenses specially adapted to the Pope's eyes. He found the Pontiff's eyes to be almost as strong as when he was elected to his high office.

Antique Textiles Sold at Auction.

The sale of antique textiles and embroideries, comprising the K. J. Collins collection, opened yesterday in the Fifth Avenue Art Galleries, and will be continued to-day and to-morrow. In the Dun Burton picture sale the highest price paid so far was for Bosboom's "Cathedral Interior," for which J. C. Evans gave $270. The sale of the Prentiss library will be held on Saturday evening.

PARIS HEARS OF A WEDDING.

Reported Marriage of American Dentist to a Chicago Widow.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, May 7.—A private telegram received here to-day announces the marriage in London of Dr. Perry Chance, an American dentist practicing in Paris, and Mrs. King, widow of a wealthy lumberman of Chicago. Although it is impossible to confirm the report to-night, the news is generally credited.

Mrs. King recently bought a house in Paris, and told her friends she proposed to make this city her permanent place of residence. She left Paris last week for London, saying she was going for a short trip to America.

Dr. Chance is both young and handsome, and is one of the most popular members of the American colony.

COMING WEDDINGS.

Washburn-Colgate Nuptials on May 20—R. S. Francis Weds To-morrow.

Mrs. Edith Buckingham Hall Colgate, who on May 20 will marry the Rev. Henry Bradford Washburn, rector of St. Mark's Church of Worcester, Mass., will have no attendants.

Arthur Washburn is to be the best man. The list of ushers has not been completed. The wedding will take place in the Rutgers Presbyterian Church, and will be followed by a reception for the relatives at the home of the bride, 862 Riverside Drive.

Mrs. Colgate is the widow of the Rev. Samuel Colgate of Orange. She is a sister of Mrs. George P. Putnam, Mrs. Gilbert Colgate, and of Edward J. Hall.

The marriage of Richard Standish Francis of this city and Miss Louise Buffum Congdon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johns Hopkins Congdon of Providence, R. I., will take place to-morrow in that city. The bride will have no attendants. Gilbert M. Congdon, a brother of the bride, will be the best man. Owing to mourning, none but relatives will witness the ceremony.

Secretary Waldrop to Wed Again.

Among those who obtained marriage licenses in the City Hall Bureau yesterday was John Pickering Waldrop of Chattanooga, Tenn., cashier of the Isthmian Canal Commission. He is to marry Miss Jane Grace Speirs, a nurse now staying at the St. Denis Hotel. Mr. Waldrop was divorced March 23, 1908, in Hamilton, Tenn.

F. T. MARTIN DINES MR. IVES.

Gives a Dinner for the Banker and Others at the Union Club.

Frederick Townsend Martin gave a dinner last night at the Union Club for Brayton Ives, President of the Metropolitan Trust Company. Those present were Mr. Ives, Beverly Chew, Vice President of the Metropolitan Trust Company; Paul Morton, Edward J. Berwind, President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University, ex-Senator Spooner of Wisconsin, Edward R. Bacon, Bowers Lee, Norman Ream, Harris Harding, William A. Nash, Henry C. Phipps, Gen. Horace Porter, Frank Sturges, D. O. Mills, Julien T. Davies, John W. Simpson, H. Coleman Drayton, James Speyer, Clarence Jones, and Howard Townsend Martin.

Mr. Martin will give a luncheon at Sherry's to-morrow for Mrs. John W. Mackay and the Princess Colonna di Stigliano.

Social Notes.

Lady Isabella Howard, wife of the Counselor of the British Embassy, who came from Washington yesterday, is booked to sail to-day for England.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brown and Miss Harriet Brown have closed their Baltimore home and are at Mandawin, their Summer place, for the season.

Mrs. Birdseye Blakeman will open her Berkshire villa the first of next month.

The engagement of Miss Lucy Inman, a daughter of the late John H. Inman, to Arthur W. Pearce, has been announced.

Mrs. William T. Meredith will give a small reception this afternoon at her home, 38 West Fiftieth Street, for Miss Maria Sheafe Douglas, whose marriage to Joseph D. Meredith will take place on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Rutherford have returned from Nassau, where they spent the Winter, and have opened their city home, 108th Street and Riverside Drive. They will sail on June 27 to motor abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan of Portland, Me., have joined L. A. Hamilton at the Plaza. Mr. Hamilton has just returned from the Atlantic City golf tourney.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin L. Hutton entertained at dinner last night at the Gotham, and James K. Kilduff gave a luncheon there yesterday for William Stowe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reynolds and Clive Reynolds of Chicago are at the Gotham. They will soon sail for Europe to spend the Summer. G. Thornton Warren is also at the Gotham.

William B. Averill of the Hotel Renaissance has gone to the Virginia Hot Springs for a stay of several weeks.

MILLER GOES OVER TO KLAW & ERLANGER

His "Associate Players" to Occupy the Savoy Theatre Under a Three-Years' Contract.

BREAKS WITH THE SHUBERTS

Actor-Manager Said to be Dissatisfied with Changes They Made in the Bookings of His Productions.

Henry Miller startled theatrical folk last night by announcing that he had made a contract with Frank McKee by which the Savoy Theatre will become the home of his productions for the next three years. The arrangement, it was explained, is an equal partnership toward which Mr. Miller will furnish the productions and Mr. McKee the theatre.

The Miller management expects now that the "Associate Players," with "The Servant in the House" and Charles Rann Kennedy's two new pieces, "The Winterfeast" and "The Idol Breaker," will occupy the Savoy until they go to London next March. By that time Margaret Anglin will have returned from Australia, and will probably be seen at the Savoy in Percy MacKaye's new drama, "Mater." Following the engagement of Miss Anglin a special company under the Miller management will produce a new drama by William Vaughan Moody, entitled "The Faith Healer." In the next Autumn Mr. Miller will himself appear at the Savoy in a new drama now being written for him. In the meantime he will have "The Great Divide" on tour in America and in London.

The fact that Mr. Miller has made this three years' partnership with Mr. McKee, who is closely associated with Klaw & Erlanger, especially through the Inter-State Amusement Company, was taken last night as confirmation of the repeated rumors of disagreements between Mr. Miller and the Shuberts. Three seasons ago the latter made arrangements by which they obtained the Princess Theatre, for Margaret Anglin and Henry Miller, and furnished the capital for the production of "Zira." In the Henry Miller Company formed at that time Mr. Miller, Miss Anglin, and the Shuberts were equal partners, each having a third interest. From that time up to the opening of "The Servant in the House" at the Savoy Theatre all the Miller productions had been "booked" through the Shubert offices. By the understanding reached last year, between the Shuberts and Klaw & Erlanger Mr. Shubert has been able this season to book "The Great Divide" in Klaw & Erlanger houses when he had no theatres in desirable points.

A representative of Mr. Miller last night confirmed the stories of disagreements between Mr. Miller and the Shuberts, and said that henceforth Mr. Miller expected to do his booking from his own office with Klaw & Erlanger without the intervention of the Shuberts. This will apply even to "The Great Divide." Mr. Miller's representative said:

"Mr. Miller declared to me long ago that he would quit booking through the Shuberts if it were not that he felt under a certain obligation to them. The trouble was that the Shuberts continually altered our dates to suit the convenience of their own ends and offerings. This was especially true of the manner in which the runs of 'The Great Divide' were cut short both in Boston and Philadelphia. If the Shuberts have lost money in some of the Miller productions, such as 'The Light Eternal,' and 'The Lancers,' they have made far greater sums through 'The Great Divide' and through Mme. Nazimova, who was really brought to them by Mr. Miller.

"We did not cancel our arrangement for booking through the Shuberts without giving them notice. After a recent trip to Detroit to see Mr. Miller, I returned to New York with two letters, one to Mr. Shubert and one to Mr. Osgood, booking agent for Klaw & Erlanger. I presented the letter to Mr. Shubert first. It simply stated that henceforth the booking would be done from the Henry Miller office. After that Mr. Miller and Mr. Erlanger corresponded by telegraph. Anyhow, the Shubert contract to do the Miller booking expired on the first of March, and the booking had been continued only by an indefinite verbal agreement."

Mr. Lee Shubert last night decined to discuss Mr. Miller's action.

"I have nothing to say," he declared. "I have booked only the plays in which I have been interested, as 'Brown of Harvard' and 'The Great Divide.' The former has closed and I am still booking the latter. The booking contract has expired."

Stevens Institute Seniors Dance.

Class 1908 of the Stevens Institute of Technology, at Hoboken, gave a dance last night to their friends in the ballroom of the Carneg'e Laboratory of Engineering, Hoboken. Thirty-three couples were present.

TUNNEL WRECK HERO DEAD.

Peter A. Murphy Passes Away at His Home in New Rochelle.

Peter A. Murphy, who for many years was known to his friends as the "Hero of the Park Avenue tunnel wreck," died yesterday at his home in New Rochelle. It was in that wreck that Mr. Murphy lost a leg and was injured internally. His friends say that he never fully recovered from the internal hurt received when he was pinned down beneath the wreckage of the passenger train.

For nearly a year he lay in a New York hospital, at times apparently on the verge of death. His leg was amputated while there.

Mr. Murphy was a passenger on the wrecked train. He occupied a seat in the rear of the last car of the South Norwalk express when that train was held in the Park Avenue tunnel on the morning of Jan. 8, 1902, to allow an outbound main line express to leave the New York Central yards.

While the South Norwalk express waited a White Plains express crashed into the car in which Murphy sat. Murphy, with other passengers, was hurled forward and he was pushed half way through a window. His feet and legs became wedged under the engine. He tried to work himself free and managed to get one leg loose. Then the roof of the car fell and pinned both his legs down again. Although suffering intense agony Murphy directed the efforts of several injured passengers near him while they struggled to free themselves from the wreckage. Battalion Chief Farrell was walking past Murphy when the latter exclaimed:

"Lift the timbers off my legs, and, maybe, I can swing myself free."

"But if I do that I fear the roof will fall on the women inside," said Farrell, who was directing the work of rescue.

"I didn't think of that," replied Murphy. "Go ahead and get them out. I guess I can stand this a while longer."

Then Murphy waited while the women and children were taken out. He never lost consciousness for a minute, although he was the last one taken out of the wreckage.

Battalion Chief Farrell afterward paid a tribute to Murphy when he said: "It was one of the bravest deeds I ever saw a man do."

After leaving the hospital Murphy received $18,000 from the railroad. So great was his popularity in New Rochelle that he was elected Receiver of Taxes a short time later. A year ago he caught cold. It settled in his lungs, already weakened by the mangling he received in the wreck. He went south seeking health, and returned from Asheville three weeks ago. He was 39 years old. He leaves a widow and five children.

Howard P. Bell.

Howard P. Bell, 57 years old, died on Wednesday at the home of E. P. Hatch, 1,033 Fifth Avenue. He was a son of the late James A. Bell, State Senator and Chairman of the Finance Committee during the civil war. In 1881 he married Miss Mary Elizabeth Pratt. He was a Director in Lord & Taylor's and in several banks, and President of the Board of Directors of the Montclair Academy.

Obituary Notes.

Major O. P. CHAFFEE, who was an officer in the Confederate Army and was a brother of Lieut. Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, U. S. A., retired, of Los Angeles, died at his home in Kansas City, Mo., yesterday from kidney trouble, aged 79 years. He left a widow.

Ex-Congressman MARTIN L. SMYSER was stricken with apoplexy at his home in Wooster, Ohio, Wednesday night, and died before a physician arrived.

JEROME FLANNERY, the best-known authority on cricket in the United States, died yesterday morning at his residence in Brooklyn. For fourteen years he was the editor of The American Cricket Annual. Mr. Flannery was born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1865.

ALFRED T. HOLIHAN, for twenty-five years in the woolen trade as a member of the firm of Alfred L. Holihan & Co. of 114 Fifth Avenue, died yesterday at his home, Giles Place, Kingsbridge, in his forty-third year. He leaves a widow and two sons.

The Rev. ROBERT GEORGE QUENNELL, a member of the clerical staff of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, died yesterday morning at his home, 133 West Eleventh Street. He was ordained in 1880, and for several years was rector of Christ Church, Binghamton, N. Y.

Col. CHARLES M. TITUS, 65 years old, a civil war veteran, who was Assistant Adjutant General of the Union Veteran League, died on Tuesday at his home, 659 Fiftieth Street, Brooklyn. He leaves a widow, a son, and two daughters.

Dr. LOUIS D. KUHN, 79 years old, died yesterday at his home, 471 Willoughby Avenue, Brooklyn. He had practiced medicine in Brooklyn many years, and was one of the organizers of the Catholic Benevolent Legion. Two sons and three daughters survive him.

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Mrs. Francis James Oakes to Give a Recital on May 14.

Mrs. Francis James Oakes will give a recital on the evening of May 14 at the Plaza, to raise funds that a young woman now studying music abroad may finish her course. Among those who will appear are Archie Gunn, Miss Mai Wyota, soprano, and Templar Saxe, a tenor of the Savage English Opera Company; Mr. Rice, an impersonator, and Clifford Walter of England. Mrs. Oakes will recite "Hagar."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Amelia Bingham was operated on yesterday for local peritonitis by Dr. W. Gill Wylie at his private hospital in West Forty-third Street. Dr. Wylie said last night that his patient was resting comfortably and would probably be able to leave the hospital in two weeks.

"The Bandbox," the new one-act play by Marie B. Schrader, will have a special production next Sunday at the Fifth Avenue Theatre. Clara Blandick, Marianna Thurber, and Richard Sterling will appear in the leading roles. Miss Thurber, who in private life is Mrs. Pruyn, will be seen in a role similar to that she played with Mrs. George Gould in "Mrs. Van Vechten's Divorce Dance."

Henry E. Dixey will appear in a brief episode from his famous old production of "Adonis" at the Friars' Festival at the New York Theatre next Thursday afternoon.

When Fritzi Scheff closes her New York engagement in "Mlle. Modiste" at the Academy of Music next Saturday night she will have appeared in the role 700 times. Mme. Scheff says she regrets to leave the part even after so many performances.

Milton and Sargent Aborn announced yesterday the engagement of Eugene Cowles to sing the roles he originated with the "Bostonians." He will appear with the Aborn Opera Companies during the Spring and Summer in "Robin Hood" and other old favorites. George B. Frothingham, also of Bostonian fame, will be a member of the organization.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

At the annual meeting of the Philharmonic Society yesterday these officers were elected: Andrew Carnegie, President; Richard Arnold, Vice President; Felix F. Leifels, Secretary; Henry P. Schmitt, Treasurer; Henry G. Boewig, Librarian; Directors—Carl Hause, Louis Heine, Louis Koster, August Roebbelen, Frank Ruhlender, and August W. Seifferth; Trustees—Joseph M. Laendner, Michael Niebling, and Anthony Reiff.

Warren R. Hedden was again elected Warden at the meeting of the American Guild of Organists on Tuesday. The Sub-Warden will be Mark Andrews.

Vaudeville for Orphan Asylum.

At the Spring entertainment of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Asylum, at 150th Street and Broadway, next Sunday afternoon a vaudeville performance with a number of star acts under the direction of Ernest Waddock, will be one of the features. George M. Cohan will be master of ceremonies, which will be solely for the amusement of the little inmates of the institution, all visitors being barred.

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BROWN—SIMONS.—On Wednesday, May 6, 1908, at Stapleton Heights, Staten Island, by the Rev. E. A. Dodd, D. D., Lillian Emelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Simons to Raymond Farrar Brown.

BRUNE—DE MEDEUIL.—At Cedarhurst, Long Island, on Thursday, May 7th, 1908, by the Rev. P. McKenna, Leonor Himely de Medeuil to Percy J. Brune.

CONROW—PECK.—On Wednesday, May 6, 1908, at No. 304 West 81st St., by the Rev. Robert Mackenzie, D. D., Amelia Willard Peck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Seymour Willard, to Robert White Conrow.

SCOTT—HOWE.—On Wednesday, May 6, 1908, at the Centre Church, Hartford, Conn., by the Rev. Rockwell Harmon Potter, D. D., Henrietta Collins, daughter of Daniel R. Howe, to Clement Scott.

CRANE—HINDS.—On May 6, Grace Jewell Hinds to Henry L. Crane.

FENSTERER—RUHL.—On May 6, Ella A. Ruhl to Walter J. Fensterer.

KIMBALL—COFFIN.—On May 6, Mary M. Coffin to Charles W. Kimball, Jr.

LEAVITT—PURDON.—On May 6, Frances H. Purdon to Sheldon Leavitt, Jr.

MITCHELL—FLIKE.—On May 2, at Jersey City, Rena B. Flike to Richard B. Mitchell.

Died.

BELL.—On Wednesday, May 6th, at the residence of Edward P. Hatch, No. 1,033 Fifth Av., Howard P. Bell of Arlington, N. J., aged 57 years. Funeral services at the above address, Saturday morning, May 9th, at 11 o'clock.

CHESTERMAN.—In Pittsfield, Mass., on May 6th, 1908, George Chesterman, youngest son of the late George and Caroline P. Chesterman. Funeral from Pittsfield on Friday, the 8th. Interment Saturday at 1 P. M. in the family vault in Trinity Cemetery.

COWLES.—At her residence, Rye, New York, on the 7th of May, 1908, Sarah Boles, widow of the late Hon. Edward P. Cowles, in the 78th year of her age. Funeral from her late residence on Saturday afternoon, May 9th, at 4 o'clock. Carriages will be in waiting upon the arrival of the train leaving Grand Central Depot at 3:04 P. M. via N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.

EICKELBERG.—On Thursday, May 7, 1908, at her home, 934 8th Av., Margaret Grant Graham, beloved wife of August Eickelberg. Notice of funeral hereafter.

HOGG.—May 5, 1908, James R. Hogg of Asbury Park, aged 70 years. Services at the funeral chapel, 241 West 23d St., at 11 o'clock Friday morning. Asbury Park papers please copy.

HOLIHAN.—At Giles Place, Kingsbridge, Alfred L. Holihan, May 7. Funeral notice later.

OETTINGER.—At his residence, 1,845 Broadway, on Thursday, May 7, Sigmund Oettinger. Funeral private.

QUENNELL.—The Rev. Robert George Quennell of 133 West 11th St., beloved husband of Elizabeth D. Swan, entered into rest May 7th. Funeral at the Church of the Ascension, 10th St. and 5th Av., Monday, May 11th, 10:30 A. M. London papers please copy.

REITH.—On May 6, Marcus Reith, beloved father of Regina Zadek. Funeral services at his late residence, 1,186 Madison Av., Friday, 9 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

WYETH.—On Thursday, May 7, Mrs. C. C. Wyeth, daughter of the late George S. Wardwell of East Orange, N. J., in her 84th year. Funeral services at the residence of her son, John D. Wyeth, 182 Roseville Av., Newark, N. J., on Monday, May 11, 1908, at 2:30 P. M.

ACKER.—At 201 Etna St., Brooklyn, May 5, Kate B. Acker, aged 19. Funeral to-morrow.

ADAMS.—At Home for Disabled Soldiers, Newark, N. J., May 5, Francis Adams, aged 70.

ANDERSON.—At 247 Norfolk St., Newark, N. J., May 6, Robert A. Anderson.

BIGGIO.—At Patchogue, L. I., May 5, Giralamo Biggio, aged 69. Funeral to-morrow, 10:30 A. M.

BLANCK.—At 181 Beebe Av., Long Island City, Ferdinand Blanck, aged 40. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

BORKMAN.—At 312 Throop Av., Brooklyn, May 6, Robert E. Borkman.

BRUCKHEIMER.—At 143 West 111th St., May 6, Leopold Bruckheimer, aged 71. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

BURKE.—At 65 Central Av., Newark, N. J., May 5, Joseph Burke.

CARLOS.—At 1,444 Avenue A, May 4, Patrick Carlos.

CAVANAGH.—At 338 Central Av., Newark, N. J., May 5, Myrtle Cavanagh.

CAVANAGH.—At 206 East 99th St., May 5, Patrick Cavanagh. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

CRISSY.—At 125 Magnolia Av., Jersey City, May 6, Anna J. Crissy, aged 57.

CUNNINGHAM.—At 42 West 79th St., May 6, Edward Hallock Cunningham, aged 68.

CURLEY.—At 223 Grand St., Jersey City, May 5, Bernard P. Curley.

DEMUS.—At 631 Bergen Av., Bronx, May 4, August Demus. Funeral to-morrow, 10 A. M.

DI PALMA.—At 329 7th Av., Antoine di Palma, aged 15. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

DONNELLY.—At 205 1st Av., May 5, James E. Donnelly. Funeral to-day at 9:30 A. M.

DOWNER.—At 5,630 Bartlett St., Brooklyn, May 6, Nancy R. Downer, aged 79.

FLEIGER.—At 747 Amsterdam Av., May 6, Elizabeth A. Fleiger. Funeral to-day.

FREEMAN.—At 82 Academy St., Newark, N. J., May 5, Annie Freeman. Funeral to-day.

GALVIN.—At 119 West 47th St., May 6, Catherine Galvin. Funeral to-day at 10 A. M.

GIBSON.—At 644 President St., Brooklyn, May 6, Robert Gibson. Funeral to-morrow.

GILDERSLEEVE.—At 63 15th St., Brooklyn, May 6, Edward J. Gildersleeve, aged 72.

HOLEY.—At East Orange, May 5, Helen Marie Holey. Funeral to-day.

HOLTON.—At 91 Broad St., Stapleton, S. I., May 5, Mary Holton. Funeral to-day.

HULBERT.—At 12 Eagles St., Newark, N. J., May 4, Aaron C. Hulbert, aged 73.

IRISH.—At Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 5, Catherine C. Irish, aged 94.

JACKSON.—At 145 West 129th St., May 6, Margaret H. Jackson, aged 82.

KLEIN.—At 216 East 85th St., May 5, Jacob Klein. Funeral to-day.

KLETZIEN.—At Mount Vernon, on May 5, Ernest W. Kletzien, aged 48. Funeral today at 2 P. M.

KUHN.—At 471 Willoughby Av., Brooklyn, May 7, Louis De Barth Kuhn, M. D., aged 78.

LINNEMANN.—At 233 Mulberry St., Newark, N. J., May 6, Emma W. Linnemann.

LIVINGSTON.—At 2,574 Ocean Av., Brooklyn, May 6, Mary Livingston.

LOHR.—At Bloomfield, N. J., May 6, John G. Lohr, Sr., aged 85.

McCANN.—At 708 Lexington Av., May 5, Ella McCann. Funeral private.

McCARTHY.—At 226 Court St., Brooklyn, May 6, John J. McCarthy. Funeral to-day.

McLARTY.—At 241 West 44th St., May 6, William McLarty, aged 66.

MASSET.—At 246 Hamburg Av., Brooklyn, May 5, Joseph Masset, aged 82.

MESEROLL.—At 236 6th St., Jersey City, Harry C. Meseroll, aged 52. Funeral notice later.

MILLER.—At 7½ Austin St., Newark, N. J., May 5, Hazel Miller.

MULFORD.—At 298 Whiton St., Jersey City, May 5, Richard W. Mulford.

MULLAY.—At 842 St. Nicholas Av., May 6, Ellen M. Mullay. Funeral to-morrow.

MURPHY.—At 223 Hudson St., May 6, Michael Murphy. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

NOHR.—At 1,123 Summit Av., Jersey City Heights, Emil Nohr. Funeral to-day.

NOLAN.—At 201 East 44th St., Mrs. E. Nolan. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

O'BRIEN.—At 916 Lafayette Av., Brooklyn, Joseph J. O'Brien. Funeral to-morrow.

O'CONNORS.—At 48 Pearl St., William J. O'Connors. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

O'NEILL.—At 190 Carlton Av., Brooklyn, May 7, Elizabeth J. O'Brien. Funeral May 10.

QUINTERN.—At 376 158th St., Oscar Quintern. Funeral to-day, 10:30 A. M.

REICHLE.—At 33 Wall St., Newark, N. J., May 5, Anne M. Reichle, aged 11.

ROWAN.—At 47 Oak St., Yonkers, May 5, Catherine C. Rowan.

SANDERSON.—At Hoboken, N. J., May 6, Roy Cedric Sanderson. Funeral notice later.

SCHOENWETTER.—At 732 Chauncey St., Brooklyn, May 5, Fredericka Schoenwetter, aged 88.

SCHULDT.—At 486 East 138th St., May 6, Katie Schuldt. Funeral to-day.

SOURS.—At Metuchen, N. J., May 6, Abigail Sours, aged 86. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

SLATTERY.—At 469 Clermont Av., Brooklyn, May 5, Mary T. Slattery.

SMITH.—At 560 South 10th St., Newark N. J., May 5, William R. Smith. Funeral to-day.

STAGER.—At Belleville, N. J., May 5, Hannah E. Stager

SWEENEY.—At 115 Charlton St., May 5, William Sweeney. Funeral to-day.

TIERNEY.—At 1,578 3d Av., May 6, Catherine Tierney Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

TITUS.—At 659 50th St., Brooklyn, May 5, Col. Charles M. Titus.

VAN DORN.—At 610 East 138th St., May 6, William A. Van Dorn, aged 25.

WAHLERS.—At 232 Peshine Av., Newark, N. J., Diedrich Wahlers, aged 40. Funeral to-day.

WEBB.—At 251 Carlton Av., Brooklyn, May 6, Julia W. Webb.

WEISE.—At 163 Monticello Av., Jersey City, May 5, Theodore Weise, aged 55.

WEISER.—At 125 Evergreen Av., Brooklyn, May 5, Christina Weiser, aged 69. Funeral to-day.

WILD.—At 68 Clinton St., Jersey City, May 4, Julia J. Wild, aged 44.

WOLFF.—At 109 East 104th St., May 6, Meyer Wolff. Funeral to-day, 12:30 P. M.

YOCOM.—At 375 Hooper St., Brooklyn, May 6, Robert R. Yocom, aged 23.

ZAN DORM.—At 610 East 138th St., May 6, William A. Zan Dorm, aged 23.

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Without incentive for either movement, prices advanced rather sharply in the forenoon part of yesterday's stock market session and declined with equal force later in the day, closing, in practically all cases, well under the level of Wednesday night. The only conspicuous exception to the reactionary tendency of the afternoon was Reading, which managed to maintain the greater part of its advance. In explanation of its strength stories were current on the floor of the Stock Exchange that the market had absorbed within recent weeks a large block of Reading held by the Lake Shore, and with the pressure from this source removed the stock was in position to reflect professional operations against such short interest as might be outstanding in it. No confirmation of this report of the Lake Shore sales was forthcoming before the close of business, but the argument advanced in its favor that the workings of the Hepburn law have made it unnecessary for large roads to control smaller competitors in their territory is in some respects sound, although it is not of such general application as the Stock Exchange at the time seems to think it. Another theory advanced to explain the rise in the stock was that preparations were under way to segregate its coal properties in accordance with the commodity clause of the rate law, but this is hardly tenable, since in association with other roads the Reading is preparing to defend suits to be brought by the Attorney General of the United States to test the validity of this measure. The real facts regarding both theories doubtless are that in the absence of news of any moment the Stock Exchange found it possible to pass a somewhat dull day with suggestions of this kind. An important conference of pig iron producers was under way during the day, but without results up to the end of the business day. It was generally supposed, however, that no other action would be taken by the conferrees than such purely formal proceedings as are involved in a reaffirmation of the existing price schedules. A gathering of the chief executives of the Eastern railroads to vote on the proposal to advance certain classes of freight rates was also under way, but the decision to make such increase was not reached until after the close of the market. There are many details yet to be worked out, and considerable opposition is to be met and overcome.

It had been expected that a meeting of Union Pacific Directors would be held and followed by an announcement regarding the proposed bond issue, but formal discussion of this matter was put off for another week, and in the meantime it is understood that a number of points in connection with the issue price and other details are to be thrashed out.

Although some $17,000,000 of Government deposits must be returned by the National banks of the country to-morrow the money markets continue to display their customary ease, and this in turn is reflected in the strength of the foreign exchange market, where demand sterling rose another 10 points yesterday. The heavy shipments of gold from this side to Paris are having their effect upon the position of the Bank of France, as was plainly disclosed by the usual weekly statement of that institution yesterday. Its holdings of gold increased over $12,000,000, and are now some $47,000,000 above the January figures. The Bank of England also reported a small increase in gold holdings, but other changes reduced the proportion of reserve to liabilities to a figure a trifle under that reported a week ago.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

BOOKS CLOSE.

Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fé Railway common.
Niles-Bement-Pond Co. preferred.
Pratt & Whitney Co. preferred.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call on Stock Exchange collateral loaned at 1¾@2 per cent., with the last loan at 2 per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 1¾ per cent.

Time money loaned at 2½ per cent. for sixty days, 8 per cent. for ninety days, 3¼@3¾ per cent. for four months, 3¾ per cent. for five and six months, and 4¾ per cent. for over the year.

Mercantile paper rates, 4@5 per cent. for sixty and ninety days' indorsed bills receivable and for choice four to six months' single names, 4¼@5 per cent. for four to six months' indorsed bills receivable, and 5½ per cent. for others.

Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $247,483,129; balances, $18,360,383; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $1,028,647.

The local banks have gained $3,188,000 since Friday, as compared with a loss of $3,234,000 in the same time last week.

Sterling exchange closed firm, with demand quoted at $4.87@$4.8705, sixty days at $4.8465@$4.8570, and cables at $4.8750@$4.8755.

Continental bills were quoted as follows: Francs, 5.18¾ and 5.16¼ plus 1-64@1-32; reichsmarks, 94 9-16 and 95⅛ less 1-32; guilders, 40¼.

Exchange on New York at Boston was quoted at par @5c premium; Chicago, 55c premium; St. Paul, 80c premium; St. Louis, 60c premium; New Orleans, commercial, 75c discount; bank, 50c discount; San Francisco, 80c premium.

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was quoted in London at 24 3-16d per ounce and in New York at 52¾c. Mexican dollars were 47c.

THE COFFEE MARKET.

Coffee held around Wednesday's closing prices yesterday until late, when buying orders reached the ring, and the close was steady net unchanged to 5 points higher. Sales were reported of 87,750 bags.

Advances of 100 reis at Rio and 50 at Santos had been anticipated. Hamburg was unchanged and Havre unchanged to ¼ franc higher at the New York opening. Later Hamburg lost a partial ¼ pfennig. Receipts at the two Brazilian ports were 15,000 bags, against 12,000 the previous day, 41,000 last year, and 19,000 two years ago. Jundiahy receipts were 5,000 bags, against 2,000 the previous day, 28,000 last year, and 7,000 two years ago. New York warehouse deliveries continue fairly liberal, compared with the two preceding seasons, and Street merchants report a very healthy situation in the market for actual coffee.

Spot coffee was steady at 6¼c for Rio No. 7. The range of contract prices was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Wednes. Close.
May	6.05	6.05	6.05@6.10	6.00
June	6.05	6.05	6.05@6.10	6.00
July	6.10	6.10	6.10@6.15	6.05
August	...	...	6.10@6.15	6.05
September	6.15	6.15	6.10@6.15	6.10
October	6.10	6.10	6.10@6.15	6.10
November	...	...	6.15@6.20	6.10
December	6.20	6.15	6.15@6.20	6.15
January	...	...	6.15@6.20	6.15
February	...	...	6.15@6.20	6.15
March	...	...	6.20@6.25	6.20
April	...	...	6.20@6.25	6.20

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE—Thursday, May 7, 1908.

Total sales May 7, 1908..... 673,026
From Jan. 1, 1903..... 57,580,663
Corresponding date last year..... 93,824,469

Closing. Bid.	Closing. Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	†Net Change.
20½	21	900	Allis-Chalmers pf	20⅜	20¾	20⅛	20⅜	— ⅛
62	62¼	41,200	*Amalg. Copper	63	63⅛	61⅝	62⅛	— 1⅛
19	19⅛	500	Am. Ag. Chemical	19⅜	19⅜	19⅛	19½	— ⅛
20½	21	2,950	*Am. Beet Sugar	20	21½	20	21	+1½
4⅝	5⅛	100	Am. Can	5	5	5	5	— ⅛
54¾	55⅝	200	Am. Can pf	55	55	53	55	+ ⅝
36	36⅜	2,500	Am. Car & Foundry	36⅛	36⅝	36¼	36½	+ ⅛
28	28⅛	500	Am. Cotton Oil	28¾	28⅞	28¾	28¾	...
7¼	8	100	*Am. Grass Twine	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	...
19¼	20	200	Am. Hide & Leath. pf	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼	...
23	23⅛	1,160	*Am. Ice Securities	23⅞	23⅞	23	23	+⅛
50⅜	51	11,855	*Am. Locomotive	52¼	52⅝	50⅜	50⅞	—1
101½	102½	300	*Am. Locomotive pf	102	102	102	102	+ ⅛
29⅝	30½	100	Am. Malt pf	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	— ⅛
72⅝	72½	88,100	*Am. Smelt. & Ref	73½	73⅝	72½	72⅝	—1⅛
97	97⅝	200	*Am. Smelt. & R. pf	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞	+ ⅛
78¼	78¾	310	*Am. Sm. Sec. pf., B	79½	79½	78½	78¾	— ¼
32	33	100	*Am. Steel F. pf., t. r.	32	32	32	32	+1
127¼	127¾	800	*Am. Sugar Refining	127⅛	127½	127¼	127¼	— ⅛
116¾	117⅞	100	Am. Tel. & Tel	117½	117½	117½	117½	...
20	21	400	*Am. Woolen	20¾	20¾	20¼	20⅝	— ⅛
88½	88⅝	4,000	*Anaconda Cop. Min	89	89½	88½	88½	+ ⅛
82⅝	82⅞	11,100	At., Top. & S. F	82⅞	83⅛	82⅝	82⅞	+ ⅛
87⅝	87¾	824	Baltimore & Ohio	88⅛	88⅛	87½	87½	— ⅛
84	85	231	Baltimore & Ohio pf	84⅝	84⅝	84⅝	84⅝	+2⅜
14⅛	15⅜	400	Bethlehem Steel	13½	15	13½	15	+ ½
89½	90	200	Bethlehem Steel pf	40	40	40	40	...
47	47¼	6,730	Brooklyn R. Transit	47⅛	47⅝	46⅝	47	— ⅛
155⅝	155¾	7,500	Canadian Pacific	155⅝	156½	155¼	155¼	— ⅞
26½	26¾	1,265	Central Leather Co	26⅝	26⅝	26½	26⅝	— ⅛
94½	95	100	Central Leather pf	94½	94½	94½	94½	...
180	185	100	Cent. R. R. of N. J	180	180	180	180	—3
87½	88	2,800	Chesapeake & Ohio	88¼	88½	88	88	— ⅝
21½	21¾	2,100	Chicago & Alton	21⅝	23	21¼	21⅝	— ⅛
4¾	4⅞	100	Chi. Great Western	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	...
180⅝	180⅝	14,200	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	182	182⅛	180½	180⅝	—1⅛
122½	124	64	*C., M. & St. P. cts., 45 per cent. paid	123⅝	123¾	123	123	...
142¼	145¼	600	*C.,M. & St.P.pf.cts., 45 per cent. paid	142¼	143	142½	142⅞	+ ⅝
152	152½	1,100	Chi. & Northwestern	152⅞	153	152	152	— ⅛
3⅛	3⅜	200	*Chi. U. Tr. t. r., stpd	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	— ⅛
11	12	600	*C. U. T. pf. t. r., stpd	11	11	10⅞	11	...
56	57¼	100	C., C., C. & St. Louis	57⅝	57⅝	57⅝	57⅝	+ ⅛
27⅝	27⅞	21,200	Colorado Fuel & Iron	26½	28	26½	27½	+1½
40	41	100	Col. Fuel & Iron pf	45	45	45	45	+10
30⅝	31	1,825	Colorado & Southern	30¼	30⅞	30½	30⅝	+ ⅛
59¾	59¾	220	Col. & South. 1st pf	59⅝	59⅝	59¼	59¼	— ½
50	50½	1,000	Col. & South. 2d pf	50½	50½	50	50	— ⅛
19¼	19⅝	8,100	Colum. & H. C. & I	18½	19¼	18¼	19	+1
119½	119¾	800	Consolidated Gas	119½	119½	119½	119⅝	+ ⅛
14½	15	200	Corn Products Ref	14½	14⅞	14½	14½	...
68	70	100	Corn Products R. pf	68	68	68	68	— ½
160	161	1,800	Delaware & Hudson	161	161	159⅝	160	—1⅝
495	500	500	Del., Lack. & West	498	498	485	498	+8
22⅜	23¼	530	Den. & Rio Grande	22⅜	22⅜	22½	22⅜	+ ⅛
58	59	240	Den. & Rio G. pf	57⅝	58	57⅝	58	+ ⅛
8,800	8,815	8,800	*Distillers' Securities	83½	84⅝	83½	83½	+ ¼
14¼	15¼	100	*Dul., S. S. & At.	14½	14½	14½	14½	...
23	24	570	*Dul., S. S. & At. pf	22	24	21⅝	24	+2
18⅜	18⅞	1,700	Erie	19½	19½	18⅞	18⅞	— ⅛
33⅜	34	500	Erie 1st pf	34½	34½	34	34	...
23⅞	24¼	200	Erie 2d pf	24½	24½	24½	24½	+ ⅛
70	72½	200	Fed. Min. & Sm. pf	72½	72½	71½	71½	— ⅛
132	136⅛	700	General Electric	135	136	134	134	— ⅝
128¼	129⅛	8,815	Great Northern pf	129¼	129⅜	128½	128¾	— ⅝
57⅜	57⅞	1,100	*G. N. t.cts.,ore props	58	58	57⅝	57⅝	— ⅜
80½	82½	200	*Hock. Val., ore rects	78	80	78	80	+5½
...	...	100	*Hock. V. pf., tr. rec	79	79	79	79	+9
135	136	120	Illinois Central	135⅝	135⅝	135⅝	135⅝	— ⅝
10	10½	100	Interborough-Met	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
54	55	200	Internat. Paper pf	53½	54	53½	54	+1
70¼	71¾	100	Int. Steam Pump pf	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜	— ⅜
15	15½	30	Iowa Central	15½	15½	15½	15½	...
84	85	430	Iowa Central pf	84½	84⅝	84½	84⅝	— ⅛
65	70	200	K., C., Ft S. & M. pf	65	66	65	68	+1
24½	24⅝	2,050	Kan. City Southern	24	24⅝	23¾	24⅝	+ ⅜
55⅞	56	600	Kan. City South. pf	56	56	55⅝	55⅝	— ⅛
107	107½	800	Louisville & Nash	107	107½	107	107½	— ½
63	64	400	Mackay Cos	63	63¾	62⅝	62⅝	+ ¼
64	65	900	Mackay Cos. pf	65	65	64½	64½	...
133	134	1,000	Manhattan Elevated	133⅝	133⅞	133½	133½	—1
22⅞	23	5,700	Mercantile Marine pf	23½	23⅝	22⅞	23	— ⅛
15¼	15½	300	Mexican Central, t. r	15⅜	15½	15⅛	15½	— ⅛
29	35	100	Minn. & St. Louis	29	29	29	29	+1
67	69	100	Minn. & St. L. pf	67	67	67	67	...
111	111¼	15	M., St. P. & S. S. M	111	111	111	111	...
1,900	1,900	1,900	Mo., Kan. & Texas	28½	28¼	27¾	27⅝	— ⅝
100	100	100	Mo., Kan. & T. pf	60⅜	60⅜	60⅜	60⅜	— ⅛
2,500	2,500	2,500	Missouri Pacific	49⅝	50	48⅝	48⅝	— ⅛
100	100	100	*Nat. Biscuit Co	85	85	85	85	— ⅝
5,900	5,900	5,900	*Nat. Lead Co	63	63	61⅝	61⅝	—1¼
100	100	100	*Nat. Lead Co. pf	99	99	99	99	+ ⅛
400	400	400	*Newhouse M. & S	7½	7⅝	7¼	7⅜	...
950	950	950	*N. Y. Air Brake	70½	70½	69⅜	70⅜	+ ⅝
2,400	2,400	2,400	New York Central	102⅜	102⅜	101⅝	101⅝	— ⅝
300	300	300	N. Y., Chi. & St. L	36	36½	36	36½	— ⅛
100	100	100	N. Y., N. H. & Hart	137	137	137	137	+ ⅛
7,300	7,300	7,300	N. Y., Ont. & West	37	37⅝	36⅜	37⅜	+ ⅝
250	250	250	Norfolk & Western	67½	67½	67	67	— ⅛
1,000	1,000	1,000	North American	62	62	61¼	61⅝	— ⅝
28,925	28,925	28,925	Northern Pacific	134⅜	135½	132⅞	133¾	—1½
6,100	6,100	6,100	*N. P. rects. 62½% pd	121	121½	120¼	120½	— ¼
1,100	1,100	1,100	Ontario Mining	5⅛	5⅛	4⅞	4⅞	— ⅛
900	900	900	Pacific Coast	79	79¾	78½	78½	+2
500	500	500	Pacific Mail	26	26	26	26	...
4,100	4,100	4,100	Pennsylvania R. R	119	119½	118¾	118⅞	— ⅛
600	600	600	People's Gas, Chi	90¼	90⅝	90	90	...
100	100	100	Pittsburg Coal	11	11	11	11	— ⅛
590	590	590	Pressed Steel Car	29½	29¾	29½	29½	— ½
100	100	100	Pullman Company	159	159	159	159	...
500	500	500	*R'way Steel Spring	35½	35½	34¾	34¾	—1¼
100	100	100	*R'way Steel Sp. pf	85	85	85	85	+10½
206,840	211,800	206,840	Reading	110⅝	112¼	110⅝	111⅜	+ ⅝
1,700	1,800	1,700	*Rep. Iron & Steel	18¼	18¼	17⅞	17⅞	— ⅛
2,143	2,200	2,143	*Rep. Iron & Steel pf	68¾	68¾	67⅝	67⅞	+ ⅛
1,264	1,300	1,264	Rock Island Co	16	16⅞	16	16⅜	— ⅛
32½	32¾	1,150	Rock Island Co. pf	33	33⅜	32⅜	32⅝	— ⅛
28½	29	200	St. L. & S. F. 2d pf	29	29	28½	28½	+ ⅛
14⅝	15¼	100	St. L. Southwestern	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼	+ ⅛
35	35½	1,000	St. L. Southwest n pf	35½	35⅝	35	35	— ⅛
46	46½	400	Sloss-Shef. S. & Iron	46¾	46⅞	46	46	— ⅝
84	84½	23,200	Southern Pacific	83⅞	84⅝	83⅝	84	— ⅛
115¼	115½	100	Southern Pacific pf	115⅝	115⅝	115⅝	115⅝	— ⅛
15¼	15⅝	1,100	Southern R'way ext	15⅝	15	15	15¼	— ⅛
39⅝	40½	500	South. R'way pf., ext	40½	40½	40	40	— ⅝
87½	87⅝	400	*Texas-Daly	88	88	87⅜	87⅝	— ⅛
20½	20⅝	600	Texas & Pacific	20⅝	20⅞	20½	20⅝	+ ⅛
31½	32	175	Third Avenue	32	32	32	32	+ ⅛
17½	18	100	Tol., St. L. & West	17½	17½	17½	17½	+ ⅛
40⅞	41¼	400	Tol., St. L. & W. pf	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	— ⅛
5	6½	100	*Union Bag & Paper	6	6	6	6	— ⅛
138½	138⅝	103,300	Union Pacific	139	139½	138½	138⅝	— ⅛
80½	81½	20	Union Pacific pf	80¼	80½	80½	80½	...
24	24⅜	600	United Fgs. Inv.	23	24	22¾	24	...
41¼	42	400	United Fgs. Inv. pf	41¼	41¼	41	41¼	— ⅛
25½	26¼	2,010	U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	25¼	26¼	25¼	26	+ ⅛
74	74½	440	U. S. Cast I. Pipe pf	73	74	73	73¾	+ ⅛
22¼	22½	3,100	U. S. Rubber	22½	22⅝	22¼	22¼	— ⅛
83½	84½	510	U. S. Rubber 1st pf	83¾	84½	83¾	84	+ ⅛
52	53	300	U. S. Rubber 2d pf	52	52	52	52	+1
36⅜	36½	22,550	U. S. Steel	36½	36⅝	36¼	36½	— ¼
100¾	100¾	3,772	U. S. Steel pf	100⅝	100¾	100¾	100⅝	— ⅛
29½	29⅞	700	*Utah Copper	30	30	29¾	29¾	— ⅛
21	21½	600	Va.-Caro. Chemical	21½	21⅝	21⅛	21⅜	— ⅛
11	11¼	1,500	Wabash	11	11⅛	11	11⅛	+ ⅛
20⅝	20⅞	4,200	Wabash pf	19⅝	21	19⅝	20⅞	+1⅝
7⅛	7½	200	Western Maryland	7	7½	7	7⅜	+ ⅛
50⅝	51⅝	115	Western Union Tel	51½	51½	51½	51½	— ⅛
47⅝	48	500	Westinghouse E. & M	49¼	49¼	48	48	— ½
7	7¼	200	Wheel. & Lake Erie	7	7	7	7	— ½
8½	9	400	Wheel. & L. E. 2d pf	9½	9½	8⅝	8⅝	— ½
16½	17	600	Wisconsin Central	16⅞	16⅞	16½	16⅞	+ ⅛
40½	41½	800	Wisconsin Central pf	39½	41⅛	39½	41¼	+1½
Total.....		672,726	*Unlisted. †From last previous sale, based on 100-share lots.					

MINING STOCKS.

..	..	800	Alice	2.50	2.62½	2.50	2.62½

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

ANN ARBOR—

	1908.	1907.	1906.
4th week April..	$37,905	$59,987	.....
Month April....	135,880	181,878	.....
July 1-April 30..	1,651,868	1,815,211	.....

CANADIAN NORTHERN—

Mileage	2,874	2,554	2,100
4th week April..	172,200	212,700	$173,400
Month April....	686,100	569,900	544,800
July 1-April 30..	7,683,100	5,659,400	5,340,900

CENTRAL OF GEORGIA—

Mileage	1,913	1,892	1,897
4th week April..	199,900	276,000	235,720
Month April....	729,300	924,300	861,120
July 1-April 30.	9,845,000	10,841,100	9,671,776

CHICAGO, INDIANAPOLIS & LOUISVILLE—

Mileage	596	591	591
4th week April..	121,101	157,130	145,451
Month April....	405,993	501,570	484,261
July 1-April 30.	4,844,289	4,943,635	4,894,471

DETROIT & MACKINAC—

Mileage	344	344	333
4th week April..	30,370	37,268	30,567
Month April....	95,443	118,112	99,663
July 1-April 30.	981,912	1,064,874	938,227

DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON—

4th week April..	35,536	53,475	.....
Month April....	116,385	170,038	.....
July 1-April 30.	1,705,505	1,745,784	.....

DETROIT UNITED RAILWAYS. (all properties)—

4th week April..	151,899	153,503	138,409
Month April....	509,262	503,439	416,719
Jan. 1-April 30..	2,013,089	2,028,983	1,206,335

DULUTH, SOUTH SHORE & ATLANTIC—

Mileage	592	592	592
4th week April..	72,462	103,548	74,761
Month April....	219,410	277,557	240,045
July 1-April 30.	2,599,629	2,671,729	2,518,223

GRAND TRUNK SYSTEM—

Mileage	4,528	4,528	4,528
4th week April..	916,773	1,106,617	914,070
Month April....	2,976,664	3,747,900	3,180,305
July 1-April 30.	35,200,198	35,951,034	32,496,634

INTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTHERN—

Mileage	1,159	1,159	1,159
4th week April..	147,000	225,000	171,000
Month April....	394,000	678,000	495,000
July 1-April 30.	5,763,896	7,523,055	5,727,198

MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL & SAULT STE. MARIE—

Mileage	2,262	2,200	2,200
4th week April.	217,109	333,120	226,625
Month of April.	844,308	1,137,370	946,520
July 1-April 30.	9,884,210	10,847,891	9,608,316

MINERAL RANGE—

Mileage	140	140	140
4th week April.	22,946	28,840	18,729
Month	66,053	67,760	54,514
July 1-April 30.	668,145	640,912	619,522

MOBILE & OHIO—

Mileage	926	926	926
4th week April.	282,474	419,331	$16,045
Month April....	1,139,439	976,360	797,852
July 1-April 30.	8,254,647	8,866,800	7,762,563

RIO GRANDE SOUTHERN—

Mileage	180	180	180
4th week April.	18,182	18,888	12,478
Month	41,788	48,865	29,762
July 1-April 30.	506,745	506,318	467,910

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & WESTERN—

Mileage	451	451	451
4th week April.	69,203	108,112	84,784
Month of April.	240,464	335,390	287,214
July 1-April 30.	3,276,804	3,435,732	3,453,767

CUBA RAILROAD CO. for March—

	1908.	1907.	Increase.
Gross	256,415	208,444	31,971
*Expenses	129,561	113,859	15,682
Net	105,874	89,585	16,289
Charges	31,845	28,329	3,516
Surplus	74,029	61,256	12,773
9 mos. gross....	1,510,627	1,339,859	140,788
*Expenses	930,448	847,439	83,004
9 mos. net.....	521,184	422,450	98 734
Charges	280,726	240,942	28,784
9 mos. sur

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Waiting for the Crop Report.

Those who believe that crop conditions from this time forward will be a material influence in the market are looking forward to the Government figures to-day with much hope, expecting that the showing will be a good one. Naturally, exact figures are not available, but suggestions were very much in evidence around the Street yesterday, most of them agreeing that the showing would be good. Some were specific enough, but as detailed figures must of necessity be guesses they were not more influential than the more general statements. The fundamental bullish factor in the present market being easy money, prospective good crops, and suggestive improvement in the bond market, it is easy to see that the verification of the expectations of good crops would be very acceptable to those who look to a good harvest as the ultimate turning point and the end of after-panic effects. Each month from now on the Government crop figures will be closely watched. Incidentally private reports will be submitted much earlier than the Government figures are published, and, perhaps, in many cases will reflect even more accurately the real condition of the growing crops.

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Ethics of Brokerage Business.

Brokers did not relish the suggestion made by the member of a suspended firm that it was the custom to hypothecate all stocks in their possession, whether they belonged outright to their customers or whether they were purchased on margin account. Those best acquainted with the Street know very well that while such conditions may exist in some houses, it is not the rule, nor even is it a general practice. In fact, it is extremely rare, but, of course, it will be difficult to convince those who are always more or less suspicious of Wall Street that strict business principles are adhered to quite as rigidly in the average brokerage office as in the counting room of the most punctilious mercantile establishment. Some brokers were indignant, and the suggestion was made that some answer to what is a general indictment of brokerage firms should be made. Customers of established houses were not in the least worried by the statement.

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No Union Pacific Meeting.

Some disappointment was expressed when it was announced that no meeting of the Directors of the Union Pacific would be held, and consequently no action taken with regard to the details of the sale of the bonds just authorized. It had been generally accepted that such a meeting would be held yesterday and some official announcement would be forthcoming. Just why there should be any disappointment is difficult to say. Probably whatever there was was developed more or less artificially as a minor bear argument. The action of the stock did not reflect any change in sentiment among the traders therein. Union Pacific is still regarded as the leader of the market, and at its present price it shows a substantial advance. Professionals are tempted to sell the stock short simply because of the comparative improvement in price, but the indications that it is well in hand, no matter who the dominating interest may be, appears to be a deterring influence so far as the inauguration of any extended campaign on the short side is concerned. So far as brokers can determine, the recent failures are still having their effect, evidenced in the curtailment in loaning stocks. It has served to create and maintain an artificial short interest, and presumably will be an influence for some time to come.

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Hoarding Money Yet.

One of the members of a banking house who was actively concerned with many of the inner details of the work of staying the panic last November, and has since had occasion to observe banking conditions throughout the country, expressed the opinion yesterday that, speaking strictly in a financial sense, some of the effects of the fright may still be noticed. He said: "It may be a surprise to suggest that hoarding is still going on throughout the country, but it is a fact, nevertheless, although, of course, it is relatively small and has little influence on the general money market. There is such a plethora of idle funds that no one notices any diminution, and no one should notice it, because of the smallness of the amount of money withheld. But you will find in interior towns even business men who only deposit a part of their cash with the banks and keep a substantial sum locked up in safe deposit vaults or in strong boxes. From my observation at other points, I believe that there is cash still locked up in safe deposit boxes here."

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Market for Good Securities.

"It seems to me that with the proper amount of advertising, good security, and ample evidence that the proposition is a legitimate one, the bonds of any concern could be sold to the public even at this time," said a bond man, who has just returned from the road, yesterday. "I have seen the stock and alleged bonds of corporations having no excuse for existence absorbed by small investors, simply because they thought they were getting fair returns for their money. This does not follow in every case, but if you take these prodigal ones as well as the more cautious and interest them in something which also appeals to the relatively conservative investor, you can dispose of a very large amount of securities. Presumably this suggestion would not meet the approval of men who have found it difficult to sell good bonds, but assuming the merit of the proposition my experience would lead me to believe that it could be accomplished. I have seen men of sense, apparently, buy some of these cat and dog mining stocks and pay real money for them when their own common sense would have told them that there was not a chance on earth for ever getting their money back."

THE COTTON MARKET.

Sharp Break Precedes Heavier Advance—Closes 19 to 20 Points Up.

Cotton was very nervous yesterday, quite a sharp early break being followed by a sharper advance, which carried prices into new high ground for the movement. The close was firm at a net advance of 19@20 points. Sales were estimated at 275,000 bales. The market opened steady at a decline of 1@7 points, and during the early session sold off in response to weaker Liverpool futures and better weather. A dispatch from Memphis said that buying orders for 8,000 bales at the best limits secured only 26 bales, and spot traders explained large sales in Liverpool on the ground that the English market was below a parity for the same grades in the South.

The range of contract prices were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Wed. Close.
May	9.02	8.77	9.02@9.04	8.83
June	8.79	8.79	9.06@9.08	8.86
July	9.11	8.76	9.10@9.11	8.90
August	8.99	8.76	9.08@9.08	8.83
September			8.91@8.94	8.71
October	8.95	8.62	8.93@8.95	8.73
November	8.71	8.71	8.94@8.96	8.74
December	8.98	8.66	8.97@8.98	8.78
January	8.97	8.67	8.98@9.00	8.79
February			9.01@9.03	8.82
March	8.97	8.84	9.06@9.07	8.88

The local market for spot cotton was steady, with prices 10 points higher at 10.55 for middling upland and 10.80 for middling Gulf. Sales, 2,185 bales.

Southern spot markets were telegraphed as follows: Memphis firm, 1-16c higher, at 10¼c; sales, 2,000 bales. Galveston firm, ⅛c higher, at 10¼c; sales, 919 bales. New Orleans firm, 1-16c higher, at 9¾c; sales, 1,823 bales. Savannah firm, unchanged, at 9¾c; sales, 414 bales. Norfolk steady, unchanged, at 10¼c; sales, 48 bales. Augusta steady, unchanged, at 10¼c; sales, 718 bales. St. Louis steady, unchanged, at 10¼c; sales, 206 bales.

BUSINESS OPTIMISM IN EVERY SECTION

Commercial Men to Hold Congress Here and Show That Nation's Industries Are Sound.

CONTROLLER METZ LEADS

Says There Has Been a General Business Revival Despite the Calamity Bogey.

Controller Metz, President of the Commercial Travelers' Inter-State Prosperity Congress, which is to be held in this city in August, has already received letters and telegrams promising support from leading business men in all parts of the United States. The Controller was enthusiastic yesterday over the prospect, and believes the congress will work wonders toward restoring confidence in the future of the country.

"Prosperity abounds in this great land to-day to a degree unprecedented," said the Controller, "despite all the calamity howlers from here to the River Styx to the contrary, and the commercial travelers, who are always on the move, can do more to spread optimism through the land than any other body of men in the country.

"When over 300,000 traveling men get out on the road and talk of good times and financial sunshine there will be a renewal of business against which even that bogy, the Presidential year, cannot prevail."

When asked what had been done in the way of calling the attention of American business men to the proposed conference, the Controller said:

"We have addressed our call more particularly to the territory commercially and industrially tributary to New York and within the zone bounded by Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Buffalo, and Portland, Me., a section in which agricultural and industrial conditions are fundamentally sound.

"I am certain that the message of optimistic confidence that will go out from the Commercial Travelers' Inter-State Prosperity Congress will be an important factor in bringing about a revival of prosperity. We have had many messages of good cheer from all over the United States.

"The fact that a few rich men have lost money, that a few capitalists find themselves possessed of fewer millions than a year ago, as measured in the terms of Stock Exchange quotations, means nothing to the rank and file of our population.

"Trade has been checked simply through the paralysis of credit incidental to this Stock Exchange depression; but the growing demand that proceeds from 99 per cent. of our population still exists and will have to be supplied, and now is the time to prepare ourselves for a revival of that demand that will only be more insistent because for the past few months it has been denied.

"The railways have promised to cooperate with us to the utmost extent of their abilities. We recognize the important part the transportation interests must bear in the restoration of prosperity.

"I believe the commercial travelers are attempting something which no other class dares undertake. We all realize that it is a tough proposition to overcome the feeling which has overtaken the business people since last November."

S. C. Mead, Secretary of the Merchants' Association of New York, has written to Mr. Metz to say:

"It gives us much pleasure to advise you that the association will be delighted to place its facilities at the disposal of the convention, offering for the holding of the convention the use of our auditorium, our largest room."

William Hoge, Secretary of the Prosperity Congress, who has had the organizing of the association in hand, said that the individual councils of the United Commercial Travelers' Association, whose headquarters are at Columbus, Ohio, and those of the Commercial Travelers' Protective Association, with headquarters in St. Louis, had taken up the project and were doing all that could be done to help the good cause along.

William McCarroll, President of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation Association and a member of the Public Service Commission, said that he was heartily in favor of the proposed Prosperity Congress.

"Conditions are much better west of the Alleghanies," said Mr. McCarroll, "than they are in the East, principally, I believe, because it is further from the financial centre than the country east of the Alleghanies. We need something more than talk to restore confidence and revive trade, but I am very hopeful that everything will boom again after the Presidential nominations are made."

SELLS ITS READING HOLDINGS?

The Lake Shore Said to Have Placed 100,000 Shares at 110.

Rumors of the sale by the Lake Shore of its stock holdings of the Reading, which have been of frequent recurrence for several months, were repeated yesterday. The story was current that the 100,000 shares of Reading from the Lake Shore Treasury had been disposed of around 110. The Lake Shore got them around 80. Interests identified with the First National Bank were named as the buyers.

While no confirmation of the rumor was obtainable it has been known for months that the Lake Shore was entirely willing to dispose of stocks acquired five or six years ago when the community of interest idea was being put in force by the railroads.

Western Pacific Finances.

Bankers interested in the Western Pacific said yesterday that no definite arrangements had been concluded for the raising of the funds for the completion of the line. Under its agreement the Denver & Rio Grande is to supply such funds as may be needed to complete it over and above the money raised three years ago by the sale of $50,000,000 first mortgage bonds. It is probable that the Denver & Rio Grande will issue at least $10,000,000 of notes for this purpose.

St. L. & S. F. Bond Extension.

The St. Louis & San Francisco has arranged with Moffat & White for the extension for three years at 5 per cent. of the $2,055,000 bonds of the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis line, which matures on June 1. The bonds carry 7 per cent. interest. The privilege is offered the holders to exchange them for the extended bonds and to receive on each old bond $20, so that the yield upon the extended bonds will be 5.73 per cent.

No Union Pacific Meeting.

The meeting of Union Pacific Directors, which was to have been held yesterday, was postponed and will probably be held next Thursday. The Union Pacific and its bankers have not yet agreed regarding the price to be realized on the new bonds, and this delay may result in the Union Pacific loan being put off for some time.

Maclay & Co. Paying Their Debts.

Stock Exchange creditors of the failed Stock Exchange house of Robert Maclay & Co., which went under last Fall, largely as a result of the financial embarrassment of E. R. and O. F. Thomas and the firm's commitments in Western ice bonds and the stocks of a number of the Thomas banks, received checks yesterday in full payment of their claims.

Stock Exchange Reinstates Two.

George R. Leslie and Abraham D. Baylis, the Stock Exchange members of the Stock Exchange house of Mayer & Co. that failed last October, were reinstated to membership in the Exchange yesterday. Mayer & Co. failed as a result of operations on the bear side in Delaware & Hudson before the October panic. A petition in bankruptcy against the firm was dismissed in the Federal courts last week.

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THE FOREIGN MARKET.

Tone of European Bourses Improves—British Consols Advance.

LONDON, May 7.—Money was plentiful and cheap on the market to-day and discounts were easy.

Trading on the Stock Exchange generally was cheerful. Consols again were dearer and this strengthened other British securities, but business was not brisk pending the receipt of details with regard to the budget, presented in the House of Commons to-day. Foreigners benefited on Paris support, with the exception of Japanese bonds, which were offered. Copper shares attracted fair buying early, but closed weak. Amalgamated touched 63¾.

American securities were well supported early in the day, principally by the professionals, and although the best prices were not maintained, the market at noon ruled steady. In the afternoon prices eased and then New York caused steadiness, but the market finished easy. Kaffirs were easier.

Bar silver was firm, 24 3-16d per ounce. Money, 1½@1¾ per cent.

PARIS, May 7.—Trading on the Bourse to-day was firm on the advices from New York. The private rate of discount was 1-16 per cent. lower at 2 9-16.

BERLIN, May 7.—The tone on the Boerse to-day was quiet.

FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

Following are yesterday's quotations for several European State and municipal securities:

	Bid.	Asked.
German consol 3½s	90¾	91¾
German consol 3s	81	82
Bavarian Government 4s	99	100
Hessian Government 3½s	90½	91½
Saxony Government 3s	81	82
Hamburg Government 3s	80¾	81¾
City of Cologne 4s	98½	99½
City of Munich 4s	98½	99½
City of Augsburg 4s	98	99
City of Frankfort-on-Main 3½s	90¾	91¾
Mexican Government gold 5s	100	101
Russian Government 4s	82⅝	83¼
French rente 3s	96	97
British consol 2½s	85	85½

LONDON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

The following were the closing prices in London yesterday for American stocks, comparisons being made between the New York equivalent and the previous New York closing:

	London.	N. Y. Equiv.	N. Y. Clos.	Net Ch'ge.
Consols money	85¾	..	..	+ ⅛
Consols account	85⅞	..	..	+1-16
Anaconda	39	38⅝	38⅝	— ⅛
Atchison	84⅝	82½	82¾	— ⅛
Can. Pacific	159⅝	155⅛	155⅝	— ½
St. Paul	135	131½	131⅜	— ¼
Erie	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛	..
Erie 1st pf	34	34	34	..
Ill. Central	139	135¼	136¼	— ¾
Louis. & Nash	110	107	108	— 1
N. Y. Central	105	102¼	102⅜	— ⅛
Pennsylvania	62¾	121⅞	119ex	— ⅛
Reading	57¾	111½	110¾	+ ⅜
So. Pacific	36⅜	34⅛	34½	— ⅛
Un. Pacific	142¾	138⅞	139½	— ⅜
U. S. Steel	37⅝	36⅜	36⅜	— ⅛
U. S. Steel pfd	105	102¼	100¾ex	+ ⅜

Bank of England's Statement.

LONDON, May 7.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve increased £40,000; circulation increased £79,000; bullion increased £118,947,000; other securities increased £184,000; other deposits increased £1,227,000; public deposits decreased £995,000; notes, reserve, decreased £91,000. Government securities unchanged.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 50.92 per cent.; last week it was 51.00 per cent.

Bank of France.

PARIS, May 7.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes: Notes in circulation decreased 157,800,000 francs; Treasury deposits decreased 31,825,000 francs; general deposits decreased 1,875,000 francs; gold in hand increased 60,775,000 francs; silver in hand increased 2,700,000 francs; bills discounted decreased 287,800,000 francs; advances increased 11,950,000 francs.

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, May 7.—There was a firm tone in the copper share list this morning, with trading fairly active. Orders were well distributed and prices fractionally higher. North Butte was again in demand, selling up to 59¾. The market closed steady and without particular feature.

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$2,000	Am. Bell Tel. 4s	100	100	100
106,000	Am. T. & T. 4s	82¾	82	82
1,000	A. T. & T. con. 4s	86	86	86
11,000	C., H. & Q. joint 4s	94½	94½	94½
6,000	Int. R. T. 6s	100½	100½	100½
8,000	L. S. & M. S. 5s	100¾	100¾	100¾
700	N. Y., N. H. & H. con. 6s	124	124	124
7,000	West. T. & T. 5s	93	82½	93

RAILROADS.

50	Atchison	83¼	83¼	83¼
28	Boston & Albany	208	208	208
50	Boston & Wor.	10	10	10
4	Boston & Wor. pf.	54	54	54
147	N. Y., N. H. & H.	138½	138½	137
10	Old Colony	185	185	185
250	Union Pacific	138½	138¾	138¼
48	West End	84½	84½	84½

TELEPHONES.

510	American	117¾	117¾	117¾
50	Mexican	17	17	17
19	New England	118¾	118¾	118¾

MISCELLANEOUS.

150	Am. Ag. Chem.	19½	19¼	19½
45	A. C. pf.	85	85	85
115	Am. Pneu.	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
140	Am. Pneu. pf.	15	14½	14¾
806	Am. Sugar	127½	127	127
66	Am. Sugar pf.	124	123	123
100	Am. Woolen	20¾	20¼	20¼
50	Am. Woolen pf.	84½	84	84
100	Col. F. & I.	27¾	27¾	27¾
25	Dom. F. & S.	17	17	17
10	Edison	212	212	212
154	Gen. Elec.	136	134½	136
700	Mass. Gas	52¼	51½	52½
21	Mass Gas pf.	87	86¾	86¾
19	Mergenthaler	196	195	195
110	Pullman	156½	156¼	156½
50	Swift	100¾	100½	100½
180	United Fruit	138	137½	137½
1,183	United Shoe	55	54	54
41	United Shoe pf.	28¼	28	28
1,257	U. S. Steel	36¾	36¼	36¼
402	U. S. Steel pf.	101	100	100¾

MINING.

10,822	Amalgamated	63¾	61⅞	62¾
105	Alloues	27½	27	27
55	Am. Zinc	23½	23¼	23½
125	Anaconda	39¼	38½	38¾
25	Arcadian	8½	8¾	8¾
60	Arizona Com'l	14¾	14¼	14½
2,215	Atlantic	13⅝	13¼	13½
50	Bingham	25c.	25c.	25c.
110	Boston Cons.	12¼	12	12¼
1,855	Boston & Corbin	13¼	13	13
1,000	Butte Coalition	22⅝	22⅜	22⅝
212	Cal. & Ariz.	105	103¾	104
72	Cal. & Hecla	660	660	660
791	Copper Range	70⅝	69¾	69¾
110	Daly-West	9½	9	9½
100	Dominion Coal	51½	51¼	51¼
220	Franklin	8	7¾	8
255	Greene Cananea	8¼	8	8
105	Isle Royale	20¼	20	20
800	La Salle	14¼	14¼	14¼
10	Mass.	2¾	2¾	2¾
20	Mexico	6¾	6¾	6¾
100	Michigan	10⅝	10¼	10¼
200	Mohawk	49	48¾	49
125	Newhouse	7¾	7¾	7¾
25	Nevada	11¾	11¾	11¾
1,708	North Butte	59¾	58½	59¾
355	Old Dominion	35¾	35	35¾
40	Osceola	84	84	84
1,840	Parrot	22¼	20¾	20¾
55	Quincy	81	81	81
275	Rhode Island	2¾	2¾	2¾
835	Shannon	12¼	12	12
10	St. Mary's Land	49½	49¼	49¼
15	Superior Cop.	18¾	18¾	18¾
5	Tamarack	58	58	58
340	Trinity	14¾	13¾	13¾
3	U. S. Oil	22½	22½	22½
130	U. S. Smelting	38¾	38½	38½
240	U. S. Smelt. pf.	41¾	41¼	41¼
1,573	Utah Cons.	39¼	39	39¼
20	Utah Copper	30	30	30
20	Winona	5	5	5

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GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

WHEAT—Bearish sentiment connected with the approaching Government report impressed the early wheat market yesterday, but was more than offset in the late afternoon by reports of export trade, including eighteen loads here and twenty-four loads at outports. Large sales of London cargoes were reported, and it was said that the Argentine was buying back contracts. Liverpool closed ⅛ to ⅝d net lower, Berlin ½c lower, and Budapest ⅛ to ⅝c higher. Northwest receipts were 124 cars, compared with 897 cars a year ago. Cash wheat in New York was quoted as follows: No. 2 red, $1.07 elevator and $1.10½ free on board, afloat; No. 1 Northern, Duluth, $1.16⅝, and No. 2 hard Winter, $1.13⅝ free on board, afloat.

CORN—Although bulls offered May freely at Chicago, there was such activity among shorts that the price touched 74c, making a new high level and exceeding all advances in many years. Later deliveries worked independently. No. 2 corn in New York closed at 80c nominal in elevator and 74c free on board, afloat.

FUTURES.

NEW YORK PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Wed. Close.
Wheat—				
May	$1.09	$1.09	$1.09	$1.09
July	90 7-16	89⅝	99¼	99
September	94¼	93⅝	94	93⅞
Corn—				
May	..	..	80	80
July	..	..	73¼	73⅝
September	..	..	71¼	71¼

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Wed. Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.03	1.02	1.02¾	1.02⅝
July	90⅝	89⅜	90⅝	90¼
September	86	85¼	86	85½
Corn—				
May	74	71¼	73⅝	70⅝
July	64⅝	64⅛	64½	64⅝
September	63	62⅝	62⅞	64⅝
Oats—				
May	55¼	54¼	55½	54¼
July	47¼	46⅝	47¼	46⅝
September	37¼	37	37¾	36⅞
Lard—				
July	8.52	8.45	8.52	8.45
September	8.70	8.62	8.70	8.62
Ribs—				
July	7.82	7.47	7.55	7.50
Pork—				
July	18.60	18.45	18.60	18.77
September	18.82	18.70	18.82	18.77

TRADING IN BALTIMORE.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, May 7.—Demand for bonds showed considerable improvement over yesterday, and prices generally were quite firm. Seaboard three year 5s advanced 1½ to 87 and the ten year 5s gained a full point to 85½. Maryland Casualty advanced a full point. Shares 115; bonds $91,500.

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$8,000	Balto. Cit. 3½s 1940	98½	98¼	98½
10,000	Balto. Cit. 3½s 1980	95⅞	95⅝	95⅝
1,000	A. C. L. new 4s ctfs	68	68	68
2,000	A. C. L. of Conn. 5-20s	74½	74¼	74½
1,000	Caro. Cent. 4s	79	79	79
1,000	Seab'd & R'n'ke 5s	103	103	103
14,000	S. A. L. 4s	49½	49¼	49½
7,000	Seaboard 5 yr. 5s	87	85½	87
6,000	Seaboard 10 yr. 5s	85½	85½	85½
1,000	West N. Car. 6s	106	106	106
1,000	Balt. Cit. Pass 5s	100¾	100¾	100¾
1,000	Charlest'n Con. El. 5s	87½	87½	87½
5,000	United Ry. 4s	85	84⅞	85
2,000	United Ry. Inc. 5s	50⅞	50⅞	50⅞
5,500	United Ry. Fdgs. 5s	72	70⅝	72
19,000	Balto. Elec. 5s	84⅜	84⅛	84⅛
2,000	Con. Gas 6s	104	104	104
1,000	C. G. El. L. & P 4½s	78¼	78¼	78¼
1,000	Cotton Duck 6s	72¼	72¼	72¼
5,000	Va. Def. (B. B.) ctfs.	41	41	41

STOCKS.

5	At. Coast Line	85	85	85
50	At. C. L. 2d pf.	11¼	11¼	11¼
35	Md. Casualty	58	57¼	58
15	Mercantile Trust	112	112	112
10	Con. G. El. L. & P.	76	76	76

NEW YORK INCORPORATIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, May 7.—The following corporations were incorporated to-day:

Ever Ready Manufacturing Company, Buffalo, Erie County, (fire extinguishers;) capital, $600,000. Directors—Whitney G. Case, Harry M. Poole, and Harry T. Vars, Buffalo, N. Y.

Stenton Realty Company, Brooklyn; capital, $128,000. Directors—John C. Langan, 178 Remsen Street, Brooklyn; Edward Bailey and Spencer C. Gilbert, Harrisburg, Penn.

Greenpoint Fire Brick Company, Brooklyn; capital, $50,000. Directors—John Cooper, Huntington, Suffolk County; Andrew Cooper and Clarence Cooper, Brooklyn Manor, Borough of Queens.

American-Zust Motor Company, New York; capital, $50,000. Directors—Walter F. Sykes and Walter F. Sykes, Jr., 85 Water Street; L. Lawrence Weber, 1,402 Broadway, New York.

C. W. Keenan, Brooklyn, (drugs;) capital, $25,000. Directors—Ann L. Keenan, 113 Lawrence Street; Frank A. Dougherty and Joseph B. Dougherty, 192 Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn.

Oregon Ranching and Timber Company, New York; capital, $25,000. Directors—Abraham S. Gussow, 116 Walker Street; Henry E. G. Cooke, 220 Broadway; A. Gero Marshall, 101 West Seventy-fifth Street, New York.

American Carburetor and Improvement Company, Brooklyn; capital, $25,000. Directors—Mathias Welwoda, 1,860 Bushwick Avenue; Fred W. Keller, 1,814 Broadway; Henry Berliner, 859 St. John's Place, Brooklyn.

Baird S. Realty Company, New York; capital, $20,000. Directors—James Bryon and Franz Schwickel, 558 Broadway, New York; Alexander McBride, 1,858 East Fourteenth Street, Brooklyn.

Marron Chocolate Company, New York; capital, $15,000. Directors—M. J. Shaw, 16 East Forty-second Street; A. G. Worden, 149 Broadway; G. J. Worpitzky, 302 West Thirteenth Street, New York.

Brayhall Company, Brooklyn, (advertising devices;) capital, $12,000. Directors—Reginald W. Brayley, 516 Flatbush Avenue; Charles E. Hall, 554 Second Street; Charles A. MacHenry, 782 Hancock Street, Brooklyn.

Puntan Underwear Manufacturing Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Frank Wheeler, 1,832 East Tenth Street, Brooklyn; Stephen C. Wygant, Hackensack, N. J.; Moses Loewenthal, 174 St. Nicholas Avenue, New York.

Margrunt Company, New York, (drugs;) capital, $5,000. Directors—Adolf Liebmann and Henry S. Oppenheimer, 57 West Fifty-eighth Street; Samuel Victor Steiner, 4 East Sixtieth Street, New York.

Columbia Kid Hair Curlers Manufacturing Company, Brooklyn; capital, $5,000. Directors—Dora Stock, 231 Snedaker Avenue; Abraham Schwartz, 223 Sheridan Avenue; Aaron N. Schwartz, 301 Wycona Street, Brooklyn.

Pitegoff Brothers, Incorporated, New York, (manufacture brushes;) capital, $5,000. Directors—Benjamin Pitegoff and Alexander Pitegoff, 142 East Fourth Street; Barnet Pitegoff, 321 East Fourth Street, New York.

Cedar Dairy Company, Brooklyn; capital, $5,000. Directors—Albert R. Moore, Harman H. Shook, and Albert W. Linton, 215 Montague Street, Brooklyn.

Monarch Dry Goods Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—N. Pemstein, 63 and 65 Winter Street, Worcester, Mass.; Augusta H. Siegler, 1,248 Forty-fifth Street, Brooklyn; Isaiah Smilowitz, 695 Broadway, New York.

Pohlabel Construction Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Archibald W. J. Pohl, 5 Beekman Street; Otis S. Carroll, 80 Wall Street, New York; Edward T. Abbott, 57 Codlington Street, Yonkers, Westchester County, N. Y.

Meyer & Lange, New York, (groceries;) capital, $300,000. Directors—Julian H. Meyer and Hugo V. Lange, 195 Franklin Street; William H. Young, 817 Broadway, New York.

Alfred Realty-Construction Company, Brooklyn; capital, $5,000. Directors—Louis Strongin and Henry Friedland, 100 Bristol Street; Mike Delmat, 94 Bristol Street, Brooklyn.

Argus Advertising Agency, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Frank T. Whitcomb and Fred W. Reddin, 103 Park Avenue; Frank A. Thym, 1,123 Broadway, New York.

Morris Lieb Feed Company, Brooklyn; capital, $2,000. Directors—Morris Lieb, 336 Sutter Avenue; David Rosenberg, 117 Hamburg Avenue; Harry Miller, 238 Court Street, Brooklyn.

Northern Tea Company, New York; capital, $1,500. Directors—Henry J. Acker, 748 Columbus Avenue; Vester Acker, 193 Waverley Place; Louis Homan, 667 Melrose Avenue, New York.

Emblem Realty Company, New York; capital, $1,000. Directors—Louis Schlechter, 100 West 188th Street, New York; Fraser P. Price, Fishkill Plains, N. Y.; Ella Laird, 637 Linwood Street, Brooklyn.

Increased Capital.

Niagara Lithograph Company, from $200,000 to $300,000. Secretary, Horace Reed, 1,050 and 1,068 Niagara Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Imperial Building Company, from $15,000 to $50,000. Attorney, Albert A. Hovell, 189 Montague Street, Brooklyn.

Central New York Abstract and Title Company, from $25,000 to $30,000. Attorneys—Lynch & Willis, Utica, N. Y.

Sultepec Electric Light and Power Company, from $900,000 to $1,000,000. Attorneys—Hagan, Goodrich & Coughlan, 49 Wall Street, New York.

TO THE HOLDERS OF THE
FIRST MORTGAGE SEVEN PER CENT. BONDS
OF THE

KANSAS CITY, FORT SCOTT & GULF RAILROAD CO.

MATURING JUNE 1, 1908.

The undersigned Company (successor to Kansas City, Fort Scott & Gulf Railroad Co.) has arranged with Messrs. Moffat & White for the extension of this issue of bonds until June 1, 1911, with interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December of each year.

Of these bonds, originally issued for the face amount of $4,000,000, there are now outstanding $2,055,300, the balance having been retired and canceled through the sinking fund.

Under the extension agreement the lien of the mortgage now securing these bonds will continue and remain unimpaired, being a first lien upon the line of railroad extending from Kansas City, Mo., to Baxter, Kan., a distance of 159.99 miles, at the rate of $12,852 per mile.

Holders of bonds who desire to avail themselves of the privilege of extending their bonds must present same ("ex" coupon due June 1, 1908), at the office of Messrs. Moffat & White, 5 Nassau Street, New York City, or at the Old Colony Trust Company, Ames Building, Boston, Mass., on or before June 1, 1908, to be appropriately stamped, and to have affixed thereto new coupon sheets covering such extension period.

A cash payment at the rate of $20 with respect to each $1,000 of bonds extended will be made to the holders accepting this extension.

The undersigned Company has arranged with Messrs. Moffat & White that the holders of bonds who do not themselves desire to avail of this privilege of extension shall receive par for their bonds upon delivery of same on or after June 1, 1908, to said bankers, or to Old Colony Trust Company, Boston, Mass.

Copies of the extension agreement, stating the terms of the extension, the security and other details, may be obtained at the Company's offices, from Moffat & White, 5 Nassau Street, New York City, or from Old Colony Trust Company, Ames Building, Boston, Mass.

NEW YORK, May 1, 1908.

KANSAS CITY, FORT SCOTT & MEMPHIS RAILROAD CO.,
By H. M. SLOAN, *Assistant Treasurer.*

Referring to the foregoing notice, we are now prepared to accept deposit of the bonds for extension, and will, on behalf of the KANSAS CITY, FORT SCOTT & MEMPHIS RAILROAD CO., make the above-mentioned cash payment, at the rate of $20 with respect to each $1,000 of bonds so extended, simultaneously with the delivery of the bonds, appropriately stamped, with new coupon sheets affixed thereto. Depositing holders will be given receipts exchangeable for the extended bonds, as soon as prepared.

Bonds should be presented for extension or for purchase, in accordance with the foregoing notice, at the office of the undersigned Moffat & White, or at the office of Old Colony Trust Company, Boston, Mass., their agent.

Bonds extended under these terms will, if held to maturity, yield 5.73 per cent. per annum on the investment.

Holders of bonds should not stamp, endorse or write on their bonds.

MOFFAT & WHITE,
5 Nassau Street, New York City.

BIG FIGHT WITH RAILROADS.

Organized Opposition to Proposed Advance in Freight Rates.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Commercial and manufacturing interests of cities from the Mississippi River to Maine, capitalized at over $1,000,000,000, are preparing for a titanic struggle with the Eastern railroads. The question of a general advance in freight rates is the issue.

The Illinois Manufacturers' Association to-night issued a call for a great conference to be held in Chicago on May 15 to map out a general line of battle. The call was sent to the Chamber of Commerce, Produce Exchange, Manufacturers' Association, and National Association of Manufacturers, all of New York, and to similar bodies in Brooklyn, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Buffalo, and other cities in the States east of the Mississippi River.

A long drawn out struggle seems probable, as the railroads have announced as final their intention to make the advance in freight rates.

RATE INCREASE SETTLED ON.

**Railroad Offic

COURT CALENDARS

FEDERAL COURTS.

Calendars for Friday, May 8.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS—Lacombe, Coxe, Ward, and Noyes, JJ.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. in Room 124, P. O. Building. Case on. 255—D, L & W R R Syracuse. No day calendar.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—Lacombe, J.—Opens in Room 124, P. O. Building, at 2 P. M. Motion calendar. Adjourned cases. 1—Pfaelzer-Bach Fur Co. 2—Hanna-Morse. 3—Wagner-Steiner. 4 — Nathan-Allen Co. 5—Barnabee-Joline. 6—Rodwell Co-Diamond Co. 7—Pepper-Bond. Noticed causes. 8—Am Hay Co-Dry Dock, &c, R R. 9—Carlson-Maxwell Co. 10—Money Weight Scale Co-Derry. 11—Brown-Western S H Co. 12—Edison-Schneider. 13—Elec Vehicle Co-C A Duerr & Co. 14—U S Raisin Co-Morris. 15—Same-Higgins. 16—In re Palmer. 17—In re Hills Bros Co. 18—H C Cook Co-Boettiger. 19, 20—Seeberger-Reno Co. 21—Richmond Gate Co-Richmond Gate Co. 22, 23—C O Burns Co-Keith-O'Brien Co. 24—Bowker-Haight & Freese Co. 25—Union S S Co-Gen Sy Signal Co. 26—Wrigley-Gove. 27—Pappenheimer-Feust. 28—Primeau-Granfield. 29 — Wood-Kahn. 30—United Mach Co-Diamond Match Co.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Adams, J.—Opens in Room 66, Post Office Building, at 10:30 A. M. Admiralty. 198—Caldwell-Standard Oil Co. 206—Manguin-Pollard.

STATE COURTS.

Appellate Division Calendar.

ALBANY, May 7.—Appellate Division, Third Department, calendar for Friday: Nos. 12, 13, 18, 29, 37, 39, 40, 41, 42.

Calendars for Friday, May 8.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Division—Ingraham, Laughlin, Clarke, Houghton, and Scott, JJ.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Motions. Non-enumerated motions. 2—Matter of Mills. 11—Compton-Compton. 14—Ludwig-Ludwig & Co. 15—Cohnfeld-O'Hara. 17—Cohen-Pinkus. 18—Cohn-Catskill Mountain Ry. 19—Kilkenny-Cornell Steamboat Co. 21—Matter of Dunlop. 22—Woodruff-Squier. 24—Matter of Reed. 25—Watterson Steam Heating Co-Erlanger. 26—Harding-Churchman. 27—Iroquois Hotel & Apartment Co-Iroquois Realty Co. 28—Stewart-Stewart. 29 — Shanley-Bingham. 30 — Kerner-same. 31—Kingsland-Schermerhorn. 32—Russell-McDonald. 33—Matter of Burke. 34—Gillender-City of N Y. 36—Matter of Andrews. 37—Herrmann-Penn R R. 38—Lurch-same. 39—Blakeney-same.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Term—For the hearing of appeals from the City Court and Municipal Court. Recess.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part I.—Greenbaum, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Litigated motions. 1—Marcus-Ashford Co. 2—Barro-Wittman. 3—Smith-Reid. 4—Rosoff-Hedden Const Co. 5—City of N Y-Miles. 6—In re Levy. 7—Kilroe-Lyons. 8—Travis-same. 9—Clark-same. 10—Cohen-Joline. 11—People-Strong. 12—City of N Y-Stanton. 13—Same-Rushmore. 14—Bean-Flint. 15—Coyne-Swift. 16—In re Taylor. 17—Orias-Nat C & C Co. 18, 19—In re Jorolemon Securtiy Co. 20—Orias-Nat C & C Co. 21—Aetna L I Co-Pucci. 22—Same-Pucci Con Co. 23—Briggs-Mooney. 24 — Backer-Wilson. 25 — Roche-Roche. 26—Con Nat Bk-Stallo. 27—Duffy-McClellan. 28—Moller-Weinstein. 29—Prince-Prince. 30—Furniss-Furniss. 31—In re Parsons. 32—Am Woolen Co-Schyeo. 33—Littauer-Marshall. 34—Zanderer-Kops. 35—Baldwin-Schlegel. 36—Degnavave-McDowell Co. 37—In re Mahl. 38—Reynolds-McNab & H Co. 39—Brennan-Russell. 40—Russell-Heidelberg. 41—Merkel-Murray. 42—Moore-Malone. 43—In re Mulvey. 44—Rothstein-Rothstein. 45—Bean-Flint. 46—Smith-Stedman. 47—Kind-Hawthorne Bldg Co. 48—Fazio-Mellillo. 49—Canfield-N Y Transp Co. 50—Hellawell-City of N Y. 51—Societe, &c-Kahn. 52—Barr-Bar. 53—Homberg-Mender. 54—Markowitz-Nat Fireproofing Co. 55—Lowa-Gotlieb & Smith. 56—Orias-Nat C & C Co. 57—Coleman-Burns Bros. 58—Lubetkin-Claman. 59—In re Engel. 60—Indus & Gen Trust-Pac Gas Co. 61—Malloy-O'Brien. 62—Sklar-Grunfield. 63—Hurlock-Makeever. 64—Post-Post. 65—Levy-Am Ice Co. 66—Page-Emp State Surety Co. 67—Glick-Cohn. 68—Nolan-Veshlage. 69—Scerbo-Hyde. 70—Goldberg-Goldberg. 71—Johnson Lighterage Co-Richard. 72—Kinnear-N Y Cont Co. 73—William-Comm Cable Co. 74—Sponheimer-N Y City Ry. 75—Morris-Hoyt.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Davis, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Ex parte business.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part III.—O'Gorman, J.—Opens at 10:15 A. M. Case on. Motions. Demurrer. 1872—Wilson-Hudson. Preferred causes: 9194—Wasserman-Jacobs. 8919 — Krause-Henderson. 9136 — Piccirilli-Julian. 9124—Nordlinger-Massaro. General calendar: 7900—Tucci-Gregorio. 7353—Carver-Donald S S Co. 7440—Shapiro-Shapiro. 7535—Man Glass Tile Co-Schaefer. 7811—Siegel-Siegel. 7658—St. Stephen's Church-Church of Transfiguration. 7915—Rosenthal-Lasky. 3695—Hays-Gainsburg. 6431—Stern-Brandt. 5961—Wolf-Wolf. 7144—Boysen-Boysen. 7891—Beatty-Tileston. 6549—Farrelly-Skelly. 5075—Scherman-Scherman. 4143 — Gallagher-Gallagher. 6731—Cong Agdrea Schim-Cong Agdrea Schim. 9091—Allen-Gray. 4746—Tubby-Vynne. 7394—Chamberlain - Childs Co. 7694—Benedict-Stanford. 9092—Brooks-Racich Asbestos Mfg Co. 6590—Mer Tr Co-Gellerson. 6756—Hafelda-Rabe. 7325—Schleicher - Christman Sons. 7714—Barber-Flint. 7899—Walton-Walton. 7336—Seaboard Realty Co-Toplitz. 7187—Marsh-Smith. 6022—Cohen-Lifschitz. Highest number reached on regular call, 8201.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part IV.—MacLean, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part V.—Fitzgerald, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part VI.—Blanchard, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part VII.—Seabury, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. in Trial Term, Part IV. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part I.—(Criminal Term.)—Goff, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Deputy Attorney General Palmieri and Assistant District Attorneys Hart and Manley for the People. 1—John F. St. John. 2—Cornelius J. Smallen. 3—Mike Donyluk. 4—William J. Dunn. 5—Samuel Weiss. 6—William Eigenmacht. 7—Samuel Levy. To fix a day for trial: 1—Joseph Klein, Morris Klein. 2—Joseph E. Weinstein.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part II.—Truax, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Case on. 6494—McKinney-Ireland. 6200—Rankin-Read. 6459—Bernard-O'Neill. 6863—Brett-Herrmann. 6996—Troy Laundry Co-Queens Laundry Co. 6650—U. S. Exch Bank-Jonson.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Day Calendar No. 1. To be called in Trial Term, Part III., at 10:15 A. M. Cases on this calendar shall be sent to Parts III., IV., V., VI., and VII. for trial. 2596—Shea-N Y City Ry. 2316—Clinton-same. 782—Williams-Int R T Co. 2584—Phillips-N Y City Ry. 2406—Bug-Int R T Co. 1783—Morford-same. 62½—Spirit-Jo Met St Ry. 2381—Gerson-Int R T Co. 2658—Bunte-N Y, N H & H R R. 2672, 2673—Nash-N Y City Ry. 2676—Mosel-Union Ry. 2681—Walsh-N Y City Ry. 2683—Jacobs-same. 2707—Jaeger-Int R T Co. 2589—Brody-Dry Dock N Bk. 2392—Sagebiel-N Y City Ry. 2602—Cordir-same. 2579—Newman-Int R T Co. 2597—Wehn-same. 2684—Semert-42d St Ry. 2686—Harrington-N Y City Ry. 2698—McCann-same. 2694—Berlingeri-same. 2695—Hattendorf-same. 2699—Fury-same. 2703—Witmark-same. 2705—Rydell-same. 2710—Fritzhye-Union Ry. 2767—Joseph-N Y City Ry. 2782—Miller-same. 2796—Hand-Penn R R. 2848—Haggerty-N Y City Ry. 2858—Lee-Int R T Co. 2900—Short-N Y C & H R R. 2917—Elsoffer-Union Ry. 2940—Delahunt-same. 634—Morrissey-N Y City Ry. 2828—O'Neill-N Y C & H R R R. 2537—Brandes-Union Ry. 1441—Olshansky-N Y & Q Co Ry. 1927—Davis-N Y City Ry. 1818—De Stefani-same. 2721—Mouraux-Met St Ry. 2722—Mottola-same. 2723—Schrepfer-Int St Ry. 2724—Humfreville-N Y City Ry. Highest number reached on regular call, 8045.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part III.—Giegerich, J.—Opens at 10:15 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Calendar clear.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part IV.—No day calendar.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part V.—Ford, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part VI.—McCall, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part VII.—Amend, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Day Calendar No. 2—To be called in Trial Term, Part VIII., at 10:15 A. M. Cases on this calendar shall be sent to Parts VIII., IX., X., XI., XII., and XIII. for trial. Inquest 2430—Beringer-Dority Co. Inquest, 2422—Rannio-Bronx Laundry Co. 3610—Castanga-Lawless. 3229—Heaney-Thompson-Starrett Co. 3563—Pistamiglio-Burchell. 3321, 3332—Ward-Durland Co. 3452—Bunschow-Herman Lumber Co. 3587—Dressel-Rupfel. 2980—Davis-McGinty. 2043—Rubeiner-Anderson. 1553—Elec Equip Co-N Y Edison Co. 2646—Smith-Gagan. 2753—Bukowsky-Morning Journal Assn. 2779—Sohr-Butterick Co. 2590—Similowitz-Tichler. 2854—Schoellhamer-Murray. 2741—Gen Chemical Co-N Y. 2769—Wright-Wick. 2719½—Glennon-Star Co. 3681—Glick-Stearns Co. 2719—Linnert-Jochim. 3155—Brennan-N Y Transp Co. 1384½—Katz-City of N Y. 3713—Morgan-same. 3600—Stolts-Post & McCord. 3669—Aspe-City of N Y. 2221—Roberts-same. 2715—Cohen-Redmond. 2740—Peters-Barker. 2774—Grady-Hubbard. 3571—Cohn-Conried Co. 2666—Raisner-Werner. 3622—Ebbecke-City of N Y. 2267—Green-Dept of Health. 3364, 3391—Aker-Higginbothan. 2918—Frost-Werner. 3595—Dwyer-Chapin. 245—McLaughlin-Degnon Co. 3180—Newschaffer-Flagler. 3313—Samuel-City Real Estate Co. 2196—Goldberg-Liberman Dairy Co. 3628—Pantano-Galway. 3084—Dignan-Nat Fireproofing Co. 2528—Coughlin-Childs. 2103—Pord-Stern. 2694—Capaldo-Comp Trans. 2896—Diamond-Travers Bros Co. 8208, 8210—Keller-Carforlite. Highest number reached on regular call, 4009.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part VIII.—Hendrick, J.—Opens at 10:15 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part IX.—Bischoff, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part X.—Dugro, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Calendar clear.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XI.—Newburger, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XII.—Adjourned for the term.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XIII.—Erlanger, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Day Calendar No. 3—To be called in Trial Term, Part XIV., at 10:15 A. M. Causes on this calendar shall be sent to Parts XV., XV., XVI., XVII., and XVIII. for trial. 4284—Bulkley-Whiting Manufacturing Co. 4580—Guidette-Tuotl. 6738—City of N Y-John Zimmerman Co. 6497—Delany-Blanch. 3544 — Galland-Loeb & Schoenfeld Co. 2613—Jonassen-Weir. 3918—Flynn-White. 1923—Lancaster Tr Co-Flint. 2111—Cary Print Co-Tollettes Company. 4237—Moran-Diable. 3921—National Cash Register Company-Benedetti. 5975—Gattle & Co-Wheelock. 2117 — Stein-Dunne. 3975 — Manheutzenbund-Pfd & Cas Co. 4106—Mathews Co-Hall. 1654—Fotte-Leary. 3052—Chapman-Frazer & Geyer Co. 4046—Bauscher-Abukalil. 4288—Brady-Horgan. 4275—Lite-Firemen's Ins Co. 4008—Cornell-Kits. 4408—Bernard-Fromme. 3103, 3104, 3105—Epstein-North British Ins Co. 2139—Clark-Pierson. 2291—Whitton-U S Title Guar & Ins Co. 2259—Humfreville-Flint. 4280—Hilgert Inst-Brush. 2628—Fennell-Kennedy. 2627 — Farrell-same. 3258—Low-Bausch. 4834—Clement-Kavanagh. 6804—Same-Bankers' Surety Co. Highest number reached on regular call, 5084.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XIV.—Dowling, J.—Opens at 10:15 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XV.—Platzek, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XVI.—Guy, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XVII.—Brady, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Cases to be sent from day calendar for trial. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XVIII.—Lambert, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Case on. 6831—People-McClellan. No day calendar.

SURROGATES' COURT — Chambers—Thomas, S.—Held in Room 4, Hall of Records, fifth floor. Motion calendar called at 10:30 A. M. 1—Albert J Adams. 2—Mary J Marsh. 3—Sarah M Finn. 4—Henry K Motley. 5—Margaret Hart. 6—Anna Maria Becker. 7—Max Lacov. 8—William Bishop. 9—Sophia M Friedrich. 10—Herman J Friedrich. 11—Peter O'Reilly. 12—Jacob P Schwind. 13—Sadie Ryan. 14—Frika Von Zastrow. 15—Elsie M Drews. 16—Peter Naylor. 17—Salvatore De Russo. 18—Antonio Zarro. 19—Katharine D Callahan. 20—Gasperne Otten. 21—M Amelia Bedford. 22—Elizabeth Brown. 23—Ellen Cobey. 24—Joseph W Snyder. 25—Francis Golden. 26—Taulman Allaire. 27—Mary Cosgrove. 28—David Dows. 29—Francis Golden. 30—Ann Martin. 31—Martin Bates. 32—Robert Barkley. 33—Meyer S Aschheim. 34—Mary Jane Buchanan. 35—Henry M Wells. 36—Jacob Rauth. 37—Christopher Martin. 38—Jacob Meyer. 39—John J Bloomfield. 40—George H Hoyt. 41—Emily Fink, nee O'Connor. 42—Samuel B Althouse. 43—Elizabeth H Jaques. Wills for probate in Room 8 at 10:30 A. M.: Rose Gaynor, Jeanne W Lorl, Catherine Meyer, Susan R Ward, Johanna Lalor, James R Healey, Settchen Wohlfort, Willy Hager, Josephine M Ludington, Florence H Otis, George W Lockwood, Elizabeth Graves, Grace W Gibate, Dennis Murphy, Martha T F Callard, Catharine Carr, Bertha Stein, John F Martin.

SURROGATES' COURT—Trial Term—Beckett, S.—Held in Room 9, fifth floor, Hall of Records.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Contested wills. 2458—Mary Keough. 2473—Hannah E. Doran.

CITY COURT—Special Term—Schmuck, J.—Held in Brownstone Building, (Chambers Street.)—Opens at 10 A. M. Motions must be made returnable at 10:30 A. M. The motion calendar will be called at 10:30 A. M., and defaults allowed at that time.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part I.—McAvoy, J.—Held in Brownstone Building, (Chambers Street.)—Opens at 10 A. M. Calendar clear. 4524—Literatore-Vigoreto. 4386, 4387—Eliasberg-Schleicher. 4531—Wild-Greenfield.

The fowing causes, if answered ready, will be passed for the day: 4061—Uhrlaub-O'Brien. 4165 — Cohen-Erdreich. 4289 — Schwartzberg-New York City Railway. 4290—Silberstein-same. 4293—Schaffer-same. 4295½—Wunsch-same. 4296—Matt J Ward Co-Messur. 4101—Solomon-C C R R. 4326—Burkhardt-Star Co. 4328—Reisner-N Y City Ry. 4329—Grimm-same. 4330—Minogue-Un Ry. 4331—Fertig-Dry Dock R R. 4333—McCormack-So Boulevard R R. 735—Warren-5th Av Coach Co. 3514—Metzer-Straus. 3503 — Salomon-Baker. 3153, 3154—Pasco-Davenport. 3177—N Y Hospital-Bien. 3411—Sire-Coe. 8022—Kahn-Haas. 3442—Bernstein-Salomon. 4099—Hall-Witt. 4373—Daly-Un Ry. 4380—Kuhner-Am Litho Co. 4381—Zawistlenski-Jaffray Co.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part II.—Finelite, J.—Held in Brownstone Building, (Chambers Street.)—Opens at 10 A. M. Case on. 4220—Richardson-Birmingham. 4187 — Dimentort-Green. 4526—Cohen-N Y City Ry. 3921—Cerero-Am Surety Co.

The following causes, if answered ready, will be passed for the day: 3941—Kuhn-Int R T Co. 3478—Corner-Cahn. 3632—Horowitz-Bronstein. 4625 — Pesalis-Merchain. 4294 — McCreery-Ollendorf. 402½ — Ingersoll-Spier. 4344 — Donnelly-Dooley. 4345—Williams-Mullen. 3064—Del Giorc-Favata. 4470—McMahon-Int R T Co. 3089, 3090—Epstein-Gordon. 4259—Knoller-Lyons Co. 4270 — Seidman-Frick. 4300—Masia-Teiman. 4573—Miler-Geo A Just Co. 4574—Rockman-Jackson. 4577—Frank-Degnon Co. 3535 — Meyer-Pollock. 4599—Brown-Montanye. 4596½ — Acker-Westchester R R. 4600—Mensel-Fried. 4601—Brown-Garmise. 4602—Bloch-Lissberger Co. 4603—Behr-Schurman. 4604—Spelman-Martin.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part III.—Conlan, J.—Held in Brownstone Building, (Chambers Street.)—Opens at 10 A. M. Case on. 4208—Engel-Hillo. 4132—Tax-Cronemeyer. 4311—Murphy-Pomeranz. 4313—Cardoza-Stracose.

The following causes, if answered ready, will be passed for the day: 4129—Price-City of New York. 3985—Booth-Litchfield. 4224—Grabenstein-New York City Ry. 4225—Shanahan-Domroe. 4226—Reynolds-same. 4258—Miller-N Y City Ry. 4314—Lenereaux-Met St Ry. 4315—Stern-N Y City Ry. 4316—Japhe-same. 4178—Dwyer-same. 4204—Eberhard-same. 4284—Morgan-Whalen. 4266—Marcus-Silverson. 4444—Straus-N Y City Ry. 4445—Brown-Selivitz. 4448—Fallon-Int St Ry.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part IV.—O'Dwyer, C. J.—Held in Brownstone Building, (Chambers Street.)—Opens at 10 A. M. Case on. Short causes. 10496—Wilderker-Meller. 10419—Greitzner-Home Ins Co. 10451—Kleppel-Hefler. 10425—Imp Prop Co-Pusey. 10528—Herrmann Co-Hayman. 8325—Gershowitz-Salzstein. 9248—Lodewick-Manice. 8717—Doig-Hain. 8383—Ehrman-Friedman. 9837—Carnegie Trust Co-Man & Bronx Co. 9837—Same-Quinn. 9975—Francis-Wessels. 9584—Levine-Adler. 10108—Match-Tuckman. 10159—Marcus-Grant.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part V.—Donnelly, J.—Held in Brownstone Building, (Chambers Street.)—Opens at 10 A. M. Calendar clear. 4250—Bellan-Goldberg. 3748—Parsons-Wisner. 4535½—Scher-Rosen. 4550—Dietz-Meyer.

The following causes, if answered ready, will be passed for the day: 4565—Johnson-Hoskins. 4582—Winkler-N Y City Ry. 4586—Stearns-Un Ry. 4587—Geler-Minni. 4591, 4592—Katz-N Y City Ry. 4593, 4594—Kingsame. 4595—Lowenthal-same. 443—Bernstein-Kelly. 4348—Rabinowitz-N Y City Ry. 442¾—Davock-Prizer Co. 4605—Ferriot-N Y Transp Co. 4606—Stearns-Un Ry. 4607—Donohue-N Y City Ry. 4608—Dampf-same. 4610—Wachtel-same. 4611—Trisoan-same. 4612—Elnhornsame. 4613—Hough-Coleman. 4614—Glick-Zorn. 4615—Bartel-Dortman. 4616—Levine-Bloom. 4617—Rotstein-Burstein. Highest number reached on regular call, 4617.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Parts VI., VII., and VIII.—No day calendar.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Part I.—Rosalsky, J.—Assistant District Attorneys Marshall and Howe for the People—Opens at 10:30 A. M. 1—Alfredo Belmonte. 2—Steven Pecekore. 3—Peter Beyolock, Yan Guz. 4—Nicola Iacovino, Jim Jeffo. 5—Annie Johnson. 6—Luther Harris, George Brooks, Harry Johnson. 7—Joseph Sherman. 8—Carlo Vitto. Pleadings. 1—Joseph Cucele, Tony Guzzo. 2—Albert Mayler. 3—Gimi Esposito, Vincenzo Marotti. 4—John Macaluso, 5—Fannie H Dean. 6—William Faulhaber. 7—Mildred Pooke.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Part II.—Mulqueen, J.—Assistant District Attorney Ely for the People. Opens at 10:30 A. M. No day calendar.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Part III.—Foster, J.—Assistant District Attorneys Train and Dana for the People. Opens at 10:30 A. M. 1—Arthur Hayes, Michael Ryan, Michael Clancy, David Curran. 3—Harry Singer. 4—James Mulligan, Henry Shannon. 5—John Emmett. 6—John Brumley. 7—William G Southard, alias William Southard. 8—Christian Glaser. 9—Frank Kraus. 10—Sydney Alexander, alias Alexander Elphistone. 11—John Ryan. 12—Leon Feldman. 13—Hyman Rubenstein. 14—Nathan Drellish.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Part IV.—Swann, J.—Assistant District Attorneys O'Connor and Ward for the People. Opens at 10:30 A. M. 1—Saverio Lomupo. 2—Gioachimo Bassalona. 3—Edward P Teague. 4—John Bookstaver. 5—Majk Meyzesl. 6—James McNamee. 7—Carlo Di Rienzo. 8—Kittie Blum. 9—Matteo Deligiorno. 10—Frank J. Gallagher. 11—Michael Goldberg. 12—Robert Grant. 13—Julia Bray. 14—Patrick Nolan.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Part V.—(April Ter mcintinued)—Malone, J.—Assistant District Attorneys Smyth and Appleton for the People. Opens at 10:30 A. M. in Part II. room. 1—Harry Morris. 2—Samuel T Bondhus. 3—Pastori R De Bario, Secombi Naivi. 4—Max Rosenkranz. 5—Chas Frankel. 6—Rose Harris, Frank L Hester. 7—Joseph Sontag, Jacob Schuh. 8—David Plattner. 9—Samuel Schwartzkopf. 10—Joseph Fasuth. 11—Antonio Ditronzi.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.—Part V.—Crain, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Assistant District Attorneys McGuire and McNish for the People. 1—Julius Frank, Hyman Shiner. 2—Christophoro Lo Piccolo. 3—Michael Sutton, John Hughes. 4—Isaac Schneider. 5—Samuel Stackman. 6—Samuel Siegel. 7—Ernest Silverman. 8—Samuel Torasco. 9—Benjamin Zweibelson. 10—Israel Rosen. 11—William Rossa. To fix a day for trial. 1—Harry Kaliski.

Receiver Appointed—New York.

CITY COURT—Schmuck, J—Isaac Uhrmacher vs. Ferdinand Delenne—Owen Lynch

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Greenbaum, J.—Block vs. Horowitz—Max S. Bevins. Weil vs. Finn, (2 cases)—Maxwell Davidson. Robertson vs. Somerville—Henry De Forest Baldwin.

SUPREME COURT—Davis, J.—Clarey vs. Clarey—Appleton D. Palmer.

Brooklyn Calendars.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Division—Second Judicial Department—Woodward, Jenks, Gaynor, Rich, Miller, JJ.—Enumerated day calendar. 535—Obinland-B H R R. 539—Reynolds-Wynne. 420—People-Lane. 556—Darcy-O'Donoghue. 557, M. A.—Schechmaster-Frindel. 558—Beatty-Godwin. 560—Murray-Westchester Hat Co. 562, M. A.—La Forge-McGee. 563, M. A.—Seidman-Jacobowitz. 564, M. A.—Rubin-Gabler. 565, M. A.—Clem-Fairchild. 566, M. A.—Martin-Valhalla Realty Co. 567—Monsees-Western Union Tel Co. 568—Trott-Schmidt. 569—Hyland-Village of Ossining. 570, M. A.—Weisbord-Nassau Electric R R. 571, M. A.—Bellensky-Nassau Elect R R. 572, M. A.—Veit-Barkas. 573, M. A.—Kratenstein-Bikoff. 574—Malizia-B H R R. 575—Jung-City of New York. 576, M. A.—Paul-Westinghouse. 577, M. A.—Hecht-N Y & Queens Ry. 578—Matter of Griffin. 579, M. A.—Hemmer-Iba. 580—Brooklyn Bank-Barnaby.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term Trials—Thomas, J.—Day calendar. 2078—Zellner-Holland. 2091—Polito-Petriello. 2047—Pounds-Egbert. 1772—Mossman - Mossman. 1935—Willinger-Bender. 1528—Hoye - Bridgewater. 2077—Prosperity Real Estate Co-Our Home Association. 2080—Jacobs-Vogelfanger. 2082—Groening-Wolff. 1563—Hawkins-Cooley. 2005—Greenberg-Manes. 2395—Beatty-Robinson.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Day Calendar—Part I., Maddox, J.; Part II., Jaycox, J.; Part III., Carr, J.; Part IV., Marean, J.; Part V., Blackmar, J.; Part VI., Aspinall, J. 4801—Hauser-B H R R. 5593—Frederick-Nassau R R. 5607, 5608—Smith & Thouvenin-same. 5605, 5607—Yelkov-Volkommer. 5630—Michelke-Nassau R R. 9206—Brown Paint Co-Pooler. 10764—Travis-Goetschin. 10825—Moskowitz-McConnell. 10804—Nichols Gas Fix Co-Clarke Cont Co. 10874—Crowe-McCarthy. 5319—Hinchey-City of N Y. 5199—Ingram-Tisdale. 2—Thomson-B H R R. 6—Archer-Lockwood. 7—Burkander-Higginbotham. 8—Curtis-L I R R. 9—Horowitz-B H R R. 10—Davies-Studtz et al. 11—Schaefer-Von Sholly. 14, 15—Maiman-Cooper. 17—Stahluth-Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Co. and L R R. 19—Gutterman Brewing Co-Langdon. 20—Bangert-Bergen. 21, 22—Kofoed-B, Q Co & Sub Ry. 24—Roth-Volp. 25—Sanna-B H R R. 26, 27—Poillon-Gress. Highest number reached in the 1908 issues is 27.

Westchester County.

Friday, May 8.

SUPREME COURT—Day Calendar—Part I., Tompkins, J.; Part II., Mills, J.—628—Paylon-Lichtenstein. ...—Lamb-Un Ry. 452—Wintere-N Y C & H R R R. 473—Shortell-N Y City Ry. 514—Christopher-N Y C & H R R R. 1067—D'Nota-same. 854—Seely-Ford. 355—Same-same. 426—Kitchen-N Y C & H R R R. 369—Reid-Williams. 528—Hody-N Y C & H R R R. 531—Dieterle-same. 665—Berger-same. 400—Curran-Fed Sugar Ref Co. 666—Fulgione-N Y C & H R R R.

The following causes, if answered ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day upon this call. 870—Walker-N Y C & H R R R. 477—Clark-N Y City Ry. 481—O'Kane-same. 509—Young-same. 555—Tassottio-N Y C & H R R R. 567—Bernardi-same. 571—Sinn-same. 575—La Fevre-same. 580—Merritt-same. 582—Garesek-Union Ry Co. of N Y City. 587—Maimes-Fiegenheimer. 588—McNichols-N Y C & H R R R. 593—Brown-same. 596—Gray-same. 606—Marshall-N Y City Ry. 611—Swartz-same. 612—Same-same. 618—Schwartz-same. 617—Borzick-N Y C & H R R R. 621—Martin-N Y City Ry. 622—Wiffler-N Y C & H R R R. 584—Jenne-Otis Elev Co.

COUNTY COURT—Day Calendar—Platt, C. J.—People-Louis Tunick. Same-Luigi de Leonardo. Same-William Forbes.

BUSINESS TROUBLES

JARVIS W. MILLER.—Jarvis W. Miller, carpenter and builder at Wallkill, N. Y., has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,459 and assets of $181 and notes and accounts.

TRAVELERS' SPECIALTY COMPANY.—Judge Hough has appointed Jesse Watson receiver upon bankruptcy petitions of Henry H. Wharton and Michael A. Boldt, doing business as the Travelers' Specialty Company, 29 Union Square. The assets consist of stock, $6,000, and accounts, $2,000.

FRANCIS J. PALMER.—Judge Holt of the United States District Court has granted a discharge from bankruptcy to Francis J. Palmer of 41 Cortlandt Street, formerly Treasurer of the Powerville Felt Roofing Company. He filed a petition in bankruptcy on July 22, 1907, with liabilities of $85,680.

CUBA EASTERN RAILROAD COMPANY.—Deputy Sheriff Murray yesterday sold out the office furniture of the Cuba Eastern Railroad Company at 20 Broad Street under a court order, and the sale realized $275. The Sheriff had received three attachments against the company in the last few weeks.

JOHN D. EDWARDS.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against John D. Edwards, dealer in dry goods, 169 Amsterdam Avenue, by Walter B. Allen for these creditors: Tefft-Weller Company, $868; Moses Price, $169, and Lewis Brothers, $27. It was alleged that he is insolvent and made preferential payments of $1,000. Mr. Allen said that the liabilities are $12,000 and the assets $5,000.

M. JEROME AHRENS.—M. Jerome Ahrens, dealer in millinery, 15 West Thirtieth Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $10,449, of which $3,733 is contingent on a lease, and assets of $3,805, consisting of stock, $1,000; fixtures, $2,000; accounts, $720; cash in bank, $2, and deposit for rent, $83. Judge Hough appointed Henry Talmadge, 2d, receiver, on application of Carell & Henkel.

THOMAS MATHEWS COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the Thomas Mathews Company, dealer in antiques, bric-a-brac, and furniture, 352 Madison Avenue, by the London Realty Company, as creditor, for $735. It was alleged that the company is insolvent, made preferential payments of $1,000, transferred merchandise of $4,000, and allowed Thomas J. McManus to be appointed receiver in the Supreme Court on Tuesday.

Out of Town.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—James A. Gray of Pine Orchard was appointed receiver by Judge Reed in the Superior Court yesterday for the Branford Manufacturing Company. The debts are placed at $12,000 and the assets are the material and finished goods on hand. The company was capitalized at $300,000, and George C. Peck of this city is the President and G. Vaness of New York Secretary.

Judgments.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Atwell, G. J.—R. C. Veit et al., $1,621.
Appleton, R. W.—H. Wetherhorn et al., $84.
Arkin, W. (not summoned)—H. Loeb, $87.
Acritelli, P. P.—Bryant Motor Co., $284.
Bretstein, M. and J.—New Weiss, $71.
Brownell, H. T.—Margaret Towle, $71.
Barnett, S.—Atlantic Glass Co., $31.
Berry, C. S.—Neostyle Co., $34.
Burke, E. J.—Richardson & Boynton Co., $183.
Brenner, D.—H. Loeb, $87.
Badesch, S.—Sonia Jenks, $169.
Black, H. M.—Mut. Life Ins. Co. of N. Y., $125.
Baron, D.—M. Chuwen, $88.
Carnegie, H.—M. S. Sommerich et al., $266.
Dombrosky, Louis, or Loul Dombro—S. Tannenbaum et al., $586.
Drimmer, S.—Corn Exchange Bank, $1,086.
Dunnett, R. R.—G. M. Robinson, $119.
Elenberg, C.—M. Mayer et al., $167.
Englander, B.—Morgenthau Realty Co., $290.
Fargo, J. C., Pres.—Lucille S. M. Wertheim, $350.
Fowle, A. L.—Stationers' Board of Trade, $395.
Fraade, C. B.—J. J. Wilson, $289.
Friedman, R.—S. J. Freiden et al., $342.
Goodwin, N. C.—Adella D. Ireland, $349.
Gabriel, W.—A. Greenberg, $117.
Goldstein, A.—M. Kerber, $326.
Same—Same, $326.
Guida, Emma R.—E. Bonagura, $296.
Gordon, I.—J. Griesgrow, $32.
Hoppe, Mary H.—Clinton Realty Co., $155.
Herman, G. J.—Laurel Furniture & Mfg. Co., $505.
Hirshfeld, M.—H. W. Bell, $251.
Hoffman, J.—H. H. Kabat, $89.
Harrison, F.—M. Nathan, $36.
Houghton, J. and Lo.—People, &c., $2,000.
Jacobson, E.—German-American Button Co., costs, $154.
Katz, S. L.—R. Fritsche, $66.
Kahn, L. J.—G. W. Kenny, $82.
Kavanagh, J. H.—J. N. Clement, $1,821.
Levine, M. S.—A. Marx, $321.
Lippman, I.—H. Delinsky, $281.
Levine, M. S.—K. Frank et al., $67.
London, A. and L.—M. Wall, $144.
Lippman, W. J.—H. W. Richardson, $62.
Lewy, G. W.—Gertrude L. Miller, $1,210.
Levin, M. (not summoned)—M. Chuwen, $

HIGH TARIFF LEAGUE FINED.

Must Pay $500 for Libeling the George Borgfeldt Importation Company.

The American Protective Tariff League was yesterday fined $500 by Judge Swann for criminally libeling the George Borgfeldt Importation Company. Conviction of a corporation for libel is unknown heretofore in this jurisdiction.

The libel appeared in 1902 in The American Economist, which is published by the Tariff League. It is stated that "the George Borgfeldt Company has succeeded, through manipulations, threats, and intimidations, not to mention other methods, in controlling, through the Consular Service, the special agents abroad, and, as clearly as may be, Lyman J. Gage, Secretary of the Treasury."

PIG IRON MEN CONFER.

Announce No Price Cut, but Admit Independents Are Getting the Trade.

The principal pig iron manufacturers in the United States held a meeting yesterday in the offices of President William E. Corey of the United States Steel Corporation. The large makers of the commodity have seen their market taken away from them by the independent dealers, who have been steadily cutting prices till they have reduced their figures to about $8 a ton below the prevailing quotations of last Fall.

It had been freely predicted that certain large interests among the manufacturers would break away from their fellow-ironmakers at yesterday's meeting in maintaining present prices, but it was stated after the conference that the question of pig-iron prices was only incidentally referred to.

Cotton Exchange Meeting.

The monthly meeting of the Cotton Exchange adjourned after a protracted session yesterday without taking any action on the report of Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith, in which the methods of the Exchange were severely criticised. It is expected that the question of adhering to the present method of adjusting grade prices twice a year or adopting the method of daily adjustments, which prevails in the markets of New Orleans and Liverpool, will be thrashed out to-day.

Farmers' Trust Men in Franklin Trust.

The entrance of Farmers' Loan and Trust Company interests into the affairs of the Franklin Trust Company of Brooklyn was made apparent yesterday by the election of Moses Taylor Pyne, Edwin S. Marston, Charles A. Peabody, and H. D. Auchincloss to the Franklin's Directorate. Mr. Marston is President of the Farmers' and the others are members of the board.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

The Army.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Major H. J. Gallagher, Commissary, Purchasing Commissary at Seattle, and will make not to exceed four visits per month to Tacoma, Washington, to inspect subsistence supplies.

First Lieut. T. T. Duke, Twenty-third Infantry, relieved from treatment at General Hospital, Washington Barracks, D. C., and will report by letter to the commanding General, Department of the East, for assignment to station and duty.

Capt. E. D. Anderson, Twelfth Cavalry, will proceed to Atlanta, Ga., and report to the commanding General, Department of the Gulf, for duty.

Capt. L. T. Waldron, Coast Artillery Corps, relieved from assignment to Forty-fifth Company and placed on unassigned list. He will report to the commanding officer, Artillery District of the Delaware.

Capt. J. T. Conrad, Third Cavalry, detailed for general recruiting service and proceed to 25 Third Avenue, New York City, and report to Major W. L. Kenley, Fifth Field Artillery, recruiting officer, for duty as an assistant.

The Navy.

Lieut. Commander R. D. Hasbrouck to temporary duty in command of the Navajo; on arrival at Puget Sound, Washington, resume duty on the Kearsarge.

Lieut. H. C. Dinger to navy yard, Norfolk, Va., duty department of steam engineering of that yard.

Lieut. L. H. Lacey to home and leave of one month.

Lieut. T. A. Kittinger detached duty on the Navajo and resume duties on the West Virginia.

Lieut. E. Eckhardt to the Maryland as ordnance officer.

Paymaster W. L. Wilson, retired, placed on retired list.

Chief Carpenter E. W. Smith to the Charleston.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived—Nina and Plunger at Newport, Prairie at Colon, Rocket at Norfolk, Dubuque and Mayflower at Guantanamo, Connecticut, Kansas, Louisiana, Vermont, Georgia, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Virginia, Minnesota, Maine, Missouri, Ohio, Alabama, Illinois, Kearsarge, Kentucky, Whipple, Hopkins, Hull, Lawrence, Stewart, Truxtun, Glacier, Panther, Yankton, and Wisconsin at San Francisco, Rainbow, Cleveland, Concord, and Denver at Yokohama.

Sailed—Chattanooga from Saigon for Cavite, Dale from Cavite for Hongkong.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—THE LORAIN STEEL COMPANY, complainant, against UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY, defendant.

In pursuance of an interlocutory decree duly made and filed herein on the 14th day of April, 1908, notice is hereby given that all claims and demands against the defendant, Union Railway Company of New York City, must be presented on or before the 29th day of May, 1908, to the undersigned, at his office, Room 1307, 26 Liberty Street, New York City.

The first hearing before the undersigned, the Special Master appointed by said interlocutory decree, will be held at his said office on Wednesday, June 10, 1908, at 2 P. M., at which time only such claimants as have been previously notified need attend.

All claimants whose claims have been objected to by the Receiver will receive written notice of the time and place of the hearing at which their attendance will be required.

Dated New York, April 18th, 1908.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE,
Special Master.

AS TO PROOF OF CLAIMS AND DEMANDS BEFORE THE SPECIAL MASTER:

1. All claims and demands must have arisen before March 31, 1908.

2. All claims for goods sold and delivered, or work, labor, and services, should be presented by filing with the Master a verified bill, together with an affidavit by the claimant that the amount was due on March 31, 1908; that no payments have been made thereon, no security is held therefor, and there are no offsets or counterclaims thereto.

3. All claims for which suit has been brought and is now pending should be presented by filing with the Master a copy of the complaint, with an affidavit by the attorney stating when the action was commenced, and its present condition, giving number on general calendar, if any. Where actions are pending in municipal courts, in which the pleadings were oral, the affidavit should contain a statement of facts similar to those that would have been set forth in a complaint had the pleading been in writing.

4. All claims for which a judgment has been obtained should be presented by filing with the Master a transcript of the judgment and an affidavit that the same is unpaid, that no security is held therefor, and that there are no offsets or counterclaims thereto.

5. All claims for personal injury or injury to property, where no action has been brought, should be presented by filing with the Master a statement setting forth the name and address of claimant, the date and place of accident, how the accident occurred, and the extent of injuries suffered and amount of damages claimed. These statements should be signed by the claimant's attorney, giving his office address, and should be verified by the claimant.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE,
Special Master.

SUMMONSES.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—MAURICE B. BAER and HENRY METZLER, Plaintiffs, against FRANZ M. DAUBITZ, Defendant.—Summons.—Trial desired in New York County.

To the above-named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiffs' attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated February 25th, 1908.

LOW & CAREY,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

Office and Post Office address, No. 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To the defendant Franz M. Daubitz:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. J. A. O'Gorman, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 24th day of March, 1908, and filed with the summons and complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, County of New York, the summons and complaint having been filed in said clerk's office on or about February 26th, 1908, and said order on March 26th, 1908.

Dated New York, March 27, 1908.

LOW & CAREY,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

Office and Post Office address, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

REFEREES' NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—JOHN C. GULICK, Plaintiff, against WILLIAM H. MILTON and others, Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, bearing date the seventh day of February, 1908, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, Nos. 14 and 16 Vesey Street, the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the fifth day of May, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by James L. Wells, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

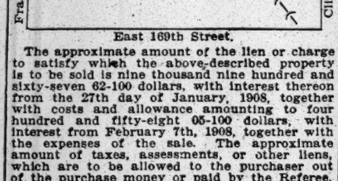
All that certain lot of land formerly situate in the Town of West Farms and County of Westchester, and now in the Twenty-third Ward, in the Borough of the Bronx, in the County and City of New York, being part of the lot known and designated by the number Ninety (90) on a map entitled "Map of the Village of Morissania, in the Township of West Farms, County of Westchester, and State of New York," made by Andrew Findlay, Surveyor, and described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the easterly side of Franklin Avenue as now opened and widened with the southerly side of Jefferson Street, and running thence southerly along the easterly side of Franklin Avenue forty-five (45) feet and two (2) inches; thence easterly parallel with Jefferson Street one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence northerly parallel with Franklin Avenue forty-five (45) feet and two (2) inches to the southerly line of Jefferson Street, and thence westerly along the same one hundred and twenty (120) feet to the point of beginning, and being part of the westerly half of said lot number Ninety, (90,) and known as No. 1,372 Franklin Avenue.

Dated New York, April 11th, 1908.

FRANCIS WOODBRIDGE, Referee.

JOHN C. GULICK, Plaintiff in Person, 132 Nassau Street, Manhattan, New York, N. Y.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold as described above, the street number being No. 1,372 Franklin Avenue:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is nine thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven 62-100 dollars, with interest thereon from the 27th day of January, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to four hundred and fifty-eight 05-100 dollars, with interest from February 7th, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of taxes, assessments, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money or paid by the Referee, is three hundred and thirty-nine 41-100 dollars and interest.

Dated New York, April 11th, 1908.

FRANCIS WOODBRIDGE, Referee.

The sale of the above-described premises is hereby adjourned to May 14, 1908, at the same time and place.

Dated New York, May 5, 1908.

FRANCIS WOODBRIDGE, Referee.

JOHN C. GULICK, Plaintiff in person.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW York.—CHARLES A. STEIN, Plaintiff, against CORNELIA HAWES et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, bearing date the 27th day of April, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14 and 16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 21st day of May, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

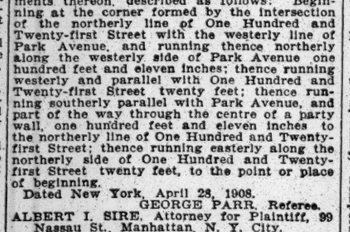
All that lot or parcel of land in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, with the buildings and improvements thereon, described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-first Street with the westerly line of Park Avenue, and running thence northerly along the westerly side of Park Avenue one hundred feet and eleven inches; thence running westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-first Street twenty feet; thence running southerly parallel with Park Avenue, and part of the way through the centre of a party wall, one hundred feet and eleven inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-first Street; thence running easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-first Street twenty feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 28, 1908.

GEORGE PARR, Referee.

ALBERT I. SIRE, Attorney for Plaintiff, 99 Nassau St., Manhattan, N. Y. City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold as described above, the street number being 79 East 121st Street:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is four thousand three hundred and sixty-three 72-100 ($4,363.72) dollars, with interest thereon from the 23d day of April, 1908, together with costs and allowances amounting to two hundred and sixty-seven 93-100 dollars, with interest from April 27th, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is $325.99 and interest.

The property will be sold subject to a prior first mortgage to the Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank to secure $15,000, dated January 24, 1907, and interest thereon.

Dated New York, April 28, 1908.

GEORGE PARR, Referee.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW York.—LOUIS BERNSTEIN, Plaintiff, against WILLIAM ROSENZWEIG REALTY OPERATING COMPANY, Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, bearing date the 9th day of April, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, Nos. 14 and 16 Vesey Street, the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, known as Lot Number 1 on a map entitled "Map of Land Conveyed by Levi P. Morton and George Bliss to Pauljne Simon, by deed dated April 29th, 1891," surveyed by George C. Hollerith, No. 55 Liberty Street, New York, May 20th, 1891, which said map was filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York May 25th, 1891, and which said lot is more particularly bounded and described as follows:

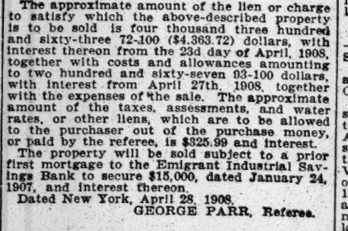
Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-first Street with the westerly line of Park Avenue, and running thence northerly along the westerly side of Park Avenue one hundred feet and eleven inches; thence running westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-first Street twenty feet; thence running southerly parallel with Park Avenue, and part of the way through the centre of a party wall, one hundred feet and eleven inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-first Street; thence running easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-first Street twenty feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 28, 1908.

GEORGE PARR, Referee.

HOUSE, GROSSMAN & VORHAUS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 115 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold as described above:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is Six Thousand and Seventy-six and 33-100 ($6,076.33) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 2d day of April, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to Two Hundred and Fifty-three and 71-100 ($253.71) Dollars, with interest from 9th of April, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of taxes, assessments, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is Three Hundred and Thirty ($330) Dollars and interest, and will be sold subject to first mortgage of $12,000 and accrued interest held by Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Dated New York, April 14th, 1908.

ARTHUR J. McCLURE, Referee.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

NO. 10,724.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of LEON RUBAY, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Leon Rubay of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1908, the said Leon Rubay was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of John J. Townsend, Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 45 Cedar Street, City and County of New York, on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
May 5th, 1908. Referee in Bankruptcy.

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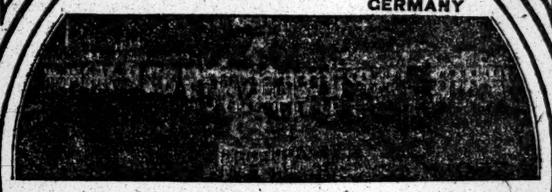

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SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW York.—MARY F. SIDMAN, Plaintiff, against FIVE BOROUGHS REALTY COMPANY and others, Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, bearing date the 14th day of March, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment mentioned, will sell at public auction at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14 to 16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 21st day of May, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Samuel Marx, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

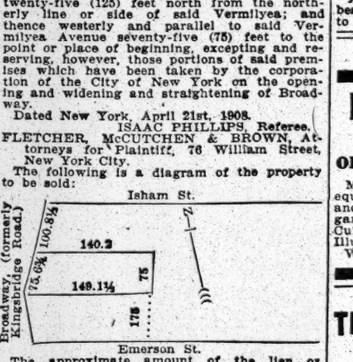
All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, and which upon a certain map, entitled "Map No. 2 of 102 acres situate in the 12th Ward of the City of New York," part of the estate of Isaac Dyckman, deceased, known as part first of the Dyckman homestead property, dated New York, June 1st, 1870, Rudolph Ross, Surveyor, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, June 20th, 1870, as Map 713, are distinguished as Lots Nos. 487, 488, 489, and which said lots taken together are bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Beginning on a line drawn parallel to Emerson Street at a point distant one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet easterly from the easterly line or side thereof at a point in said line which is distant one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet northerly from the northerly line or side of Vermilyea Avenue, and running thence north and parallel to said Emerson Street one hundred and eighty-eight (188) feet one and one-half inches, more or less, to Kingsbridge Road, thence easterly along the Kingsbridge Road seventy-five (75) feet six and three-fourths inches, more or less, to a point where a line drawn parallel to said Emerson Street at a distance of two hundred and fifty (250) feet easterly from the easterly line or side thereof would if extended intersect said Kingsbridge Road; thence south and parallel to said Emerson Street one hundred and eighty-four (184) feet eleven inches, more or less, to a point distant one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet north from the northerly line or side of said Vermilyea; and thence westerly and parallel to said Vermilyea Avenue seventy-five (75) feet to the point or place of beginning, excepting and reserving, however, those portions of said premises which have been taken by the corporation of the City of New York on the opening and widening and straightening of Broadway.

Dated New York, April 21st, 1908.

ISAAC PHILLIPS, Referee.

FLETCHER, McCUTCHEN & BROWN, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 76 William Street, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above described property is to be sold is eleven thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine and 30-100 dollars ($11,899.30) with interest from the 14th day of April, 1908, together with costs and allowances amounting to three hundred and twenty-three and 35-100 dollars ($323.35) with interest from April 14, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale.

The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments and water rates or other liens which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is one thousand and eleven and 36-100 dollars ($1,011.36) and interest.

Dated New York, April 21st, 1908.

ISAAC PHILLIPS, Referee.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—MINNIE A. BLANCHARD, plaintiff, against WILLIAM ROSENZWEIG REALTY OPERATING COMPANY et al., defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, and bearing date the 9th day of April, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey St., in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of May, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All those certain lots of land situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Bronx, City, County, and State of New York, designated as Lots Numbers 12, 13, and 15 on a certain map entitled "Map of Bruner Estate, at Jerome Avenue and Gun Hill Road, in the Borough of the Bronx, owned by Century Realty Co.," dated New York, September 30th, 1905, surveyed by Geo. C. Hollerith, 149 Broadway, New York City, and filed November 9th, 1905, in the office of the Register of the County of New York, as Map Number 1,105, excepting all land lying in the bed of the streets, roads, and avenues adjacent thereto.

Said premises being subject, however, to restrictive covenants contained in deed made by Century Realty Company to William Rosenzweig Realty Operating Company hereto.

Being the same premises conveyed to William Rosenzweig Realty Operating Company by Century Realty Company by deed delivered and intended to be recorded simultaneously with this said mortgage, which was given to secure part of the consideration or purchase price for said premises.

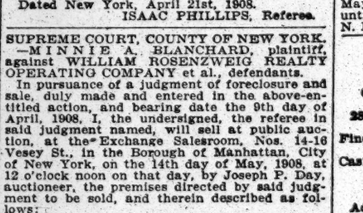
The sale will be conducted in such a manner that the premises will be first offered for sale in separate lots as shown on the map of the Bruner estate, and after all the lots have been so offered for sale, then the entire four lots will be offered for sale in one parcel, and if the bid for the one parcel shall exceed the aggregate bids of the separate parcels the property to be sold to the person bidding for the one parcel, otherwise to be sold to the highest bidder for each individual lot.

Dated New York, April 21st, 1908.

MOSES R. RYTTENBERG, Referee.

A. LINCOLN WESCOTT, Attorney for Plaintiff, Office and P. O. Address 135 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is $8,357.26, with interest thereon from the 31st day of March, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $337.58, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is $237.10 and interest.

Dated New York, April 21st, 1908.

MOSES R. RYTTENBERG, Referee.

SUMMONSES.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.—THE C. O. BURNS COMPANY, Plaintiff, against M. STANLEY LESHER, Defendant.—To the above-named defendant: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of the answer on the plaintiff's attorney within ten days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated New York, April 7, 1908.

GEORGE M. LEVENTRITT,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

Office and P. O. address, 115 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To the defendant: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of the Hon. Peter Schmuck, Justice of the above-named court, dated May 5th, 1908, and which was filed with the complaint and papers upon which the same was granted in the office of the Clerk of this Court, on the fourth day of May, 1908.

Dated New York, May 5th, 1908.

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SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—JULIUS LEVY, plaintiff, against LOUIS SINGER et al., defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, and bearing date the 21st day of April, 1908, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, Auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the building and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Park Avenue, distant about twenty-four (24) feet ten (10) inches northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of 133d Street and the westerly side of Park Avenue and opposite the centre of a party wall; running thence westerly parallel with 133d Street and part of the distance through a party wall about eighty-six (86) feet to the easterly line of the building known as No. 63 East 133d Street; thence northerly along the easterly line of said building parallel with Park Avenue twenty-five (25) feet five (5) inches; thence easterly parallel with 133d Street and part of the distance through a party wall about eighty-six (86) feet to the westerly side of Park Avenue, and thence southerly along the westerly side of Park Avenue twenty-five (25) feet five (5) inches to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less, said premises being now known as and by the street number 1,982 Park Avenue.

Dated New York, April 22, 1908.

ALMUTH C. VANDIVER, Referee.

MORRIS COOPER, Attorney for Plaintiff, 20 Vesey Street, Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold:

The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold, is $8,218 81-100, with interest thereon from the 20th day of April, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $378.00, with interest from April 22, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money or paid by the Referee, is three hundred dollars and interest.

Dated New York, April 22, 1908.

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IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Builders Sell New Apartments on 134th Street—Buyers for West Side Houses—Day's Dealings by Brokers and in the Auction Room.

The Rosenthal Construction Company has sold to George Cohen 523 West 134th Street, a five-story apartment house now nearing completion, on plot 48 by 100, one of a group known as Stanley Court.

New Owners for West Side Houses.

Clifford N. Shurman has sold for Moses Cohen to a client, for occupancy, 56 West Eighty-eighth Street, a four-story brownstone dwelling on lot 19 by 100; also, for the estates of Amanda and Josiah De Witt, 611 West 138th Street, an American basement dwelling, 17 by 100.

E. B. H. Meyers has sold 609 West End Avenue, a four-story stonefront dwelling on lot 18 by 90, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth Streets.

Deal for West 38th Street Parcel.

S. B. Goodale & Son have sold for Phoebe C. Martin the four-story dwelling 245 West Thirty-eighth Street, on lot 17.1 by 100, to Emma C. Horn and others, owners of 243 West Thirty-eighth Street, who now control a plot 34.2 by 100.

Resale of 119th Street Dwelling.

Frederik Zittel has sold for Gross & Herbener 32 East 119th Street, a three-story dwelling, 15.8 by 100. This is one of the four houses on this block taken by the sellers from ex-Gov. Morton in trade for the block front on Broadway, between 140th and 141st Streets.

Pleasant Avenue Corner Sold.

Clifford N. Shurman has sold for Henry B. Davis and Frederick V. Calder the southwest corner of Pleasant Avenue and 117th Street, a six-story flat on lot 35.8 by 100.

West 46th Street Foreclosure.

Suit has been brought in the Supreme Court by N. Taylor Phillips against James Churchill and others to foreclose four mortgages aggregating $84,000 on the property on the south side of Forty-sixth Street, 118 feet west of Broadway, 70 by 100.5. The mortgages were made on Sept. 29, 1906.

Prominent Harlem Corner Leased.

John J. O'Brien has leased from A. de Verastegui the Oneonta apartment house, at the northwest corner of 125th Street and St. Nicholas Avenue, for twenty-one years.

A Bronx Journey on Post Cards.

Few real estate owners in the city have escaped being reminded every day this week that there is going to be an auction sale of 369 lots in the Hunt's Point section of the Bronx next Tuesday. The first of these reminders came on Tuesday morning in the shape of a picture post card showing the Simpson Street Subway Station. This was not particularly soul-stirring, but a brief greeting from Joseph P. Day explained that here is the place to get off to reach the Hunt's Point lots. Wednesday morning's post card showed a view down Simpson Street with the explanation that this is the way to the property. Yesterday morning the letter carrier left a picture that carried the journey a stage further. To-day the trail is getting still warmer, and it would probably be a safe guess that the first mail to-morrow morning will complete this unique photographic guide, which is being sent to about 7,000 property owners and prospective lot buyers.

Successful Bronx Operation.

The American Real Estate Company has sold 1,027 Faile Street, another of its new two-family houses, to E. P. Dunne. Twelve of these house have been sold since Feb. 1.

J. J. Haggerty has sold for S. & R. Magda the three-family brick house 1,144 Longfellow Avenue, on lot 20 by 130, to H. Mergenthaler.

Reifer & Newman have sold for J. Froehlich 1,002 Forest Avenue, a three-story single flat, on lot 17.9 by 100.

Clifford N. Shurman has sold for the Tri-Centennial Realty Company to M. I. Boykin a plot, 41 by 109, on 224th Street, east of Paulding Avenue.

Company Sells Brooklyn Flats.

Bulkley & Horton report the sale of 588 and 590 Park Place, a four-story double apartment house, for the Savin Realty Company to a client for $53,000.

Buyers for Lots at Hollis Court.

T. Ingram McNeece, President of the Hollis Court Realty Company, has made several sales of plots in Hollis Court this week to out-of-town buyers. Clyde G. Buckinghan of Pittsfield, Mass., has purchased a large plot, on which he intends to build a villa. Other buyers are Benjamin J. Bergen, Daniel F. Hartmann, Thomas W. Evans, Mary C. Churchill, and Clarence W. McCann.

Sale and Resale at Rye.

Clifford N. Shurman has sold for M. I. Boykin to Ira H. Bennett a plot on Boston Post Road and Sound View Avenue, Rye, Westchester County, adjoining the estates of George C. Park and William Porter Allen. Mr. Shurman has resold the lots for Mr. Bennett to William Porter Allen.

Acreage Deal at Morristown, N. J.

Edward P. Hamilton & Co. have sold for the John Oliver estate their farm of 100 acres on the extension of Gaines Avenue, Morristown, N. J.

New Hotel at Long Branch.

Architects Louis Korn and Maximilian Zipkes are preparing plans for a ten-story hotel, to be erected on a plot 200 by 300, opposite the famous McCall mansion at Long Branch. Special features of the structure will be its swimming pool, children's play rooms, gymnasium, palm room, and roof garden. The cost will be about $250,000. The architects will be ready for estimates about July 1.

Results at Auction.

The only offering yesterday in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Samuel Marx.

102d St, 166, s s, 225 ft w of 3d Av, 20x160.11, four-story tenement; foreclosure sale, to Ida K. Bronner, $9,700.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and Bronx.

26th St, 37 to 43 West, for a twelve-story brick store and loft building, 100x90.4; West Twenty-sixth Street Corporation of 725 Broadway, owner; Neville & Bagge, architects; cost, $400,000.

184th St, n s, 100 ft w of St. Nicholas Av, for three five-story brick flats, 41.8x86.11; W. J. Casey of 1,953 7th Av, owner; Neville & Bagge, architects; cost, $150,000.

Madison Av, 477, for a four-story brick dwelling, 30x80.4; O. H. P. Belmont of 121 Madison Av, owner; Hunt & Hunt, architects; cost, $85,000.

Zerega Av, w s, 100 ft s of Glebe Av, for a two-story frame dwelling, 21x50; Hugh Moffitt of 303 Jefferson St, owner; Thomas F. J. Moffitt, architect; cost, $4,800.

Alteration.

Items involving less than $5,000 omitted.

5th Av, s e corner of 119th St, to a five-story brick tenement and store; Braverman & Geiger of 805 Grand St, owners; S. Sass, architect; cost, $5,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Thursday, May 7.

ADAMS ST, e s, 128.4 ft s of Columbus Av, 16.8x100; Gustus Gassner to Gustav Gassner, (mtg $2,500,) $100.

ADAMS ST, e s, 95 ft s of Columbus Av, 16.8x100; Michael Kenny to Thomas Kilduff, (mtg $2,500,) $100.

BROADWAY, 706, e s, 24.11x irregular, ½ part; 29th St, 158 and 160 West, s s, 50x98.9; Henry St, 198, s s, 25x100; 3d Av, 1,865 and 1,867, n e corner of 103d St, 50x110; Rivington St, 228, n s, 24.10x100.3; 9th St, 36 East, s s, 25x93.11; 38th St, 304 West, s s, 25x98.9; 5th Av, 349 to 353, s e corner of 34th St, 59.3x100; Crosby St, 31, e s, 25x100; Jacob Korn to David, Henry, and Samuel W. Korn, deed of trust, $1.

BROOK AV, w s, 75 ft s of Wendover Av, 25x90; Archibald E. Stevenson to Sandow Realty Co., (mtg $12,500,) $1.

BROOK AV, 1,525; Sandow Realty Co. to Annie Prochaska, (mtg $15,000,) $1.

CHERRY ST, 222; Joseph Guth to Bernard F. Golden, (mtg $75,000,) $1.

CLINTON AV, w s, s ½ of Lot 18, map of Mount Hope, 50x100; Sylvester L. H. Ward to James Nolan, $2,900.

ELLIOT AV, w s, 236.3 ft s of Union St, 78.9x irregular; Frederic E. Lally to Henry A. Blumenthal, (mtg $700,) $100.

ELLIOT AV, w s, 236.3 ft s ow Union St, 78.9x irregular; Henry A. Blumenthal to Crane Company, (mtg $700,) $100.

FRANKLIN AV, 1,144, 27.6x97; Lucy Hargrove to Anna Noonan, (mtg $13,000,) $100.

GREEN LANE, w s, 175 ft n of Lyon Av, 50x100, Westchester; Frederick Kessler and another to Norbert Robiliard, $100.

HULL AV, n e corner of 205th St, 100.1x25; Sophie Muller to Charles T. Muller, $1.

LEXINGTON AV, 1,590 to 1,594; Harris Mandelbaum to Keats Co., (mtg $50,000,) $100.

LOT 99, map of new Village of Jerome, 25x100; Antonio di Niscia to Joseph Iatommaso, $1.

LOT 29, map of portion of Gleason property, Bronx; Julia Hershfield to Cogswell-Taylor Import Co., $100.

LOTS 216 and 217, map of Hunter estate, Bronx; Hudson P. Rose Co. to Mary A. Donohoe,, $1.

LOTS 820 to 826, map of Section D, Vyse estate; Stephen P. Nash, referee, to James F. Murray, $6,100.

LUDLOW ST, 37, n w s, 25.5x87.6; Aaron Kiegler to Kotzen Realty Co., (mtg $40,650,) $1.

PART of Lot 166, map of Morrisania; Sandow Realty Co. to Archibald E. Stevenson, (mtg $5,250,) $1.

PLOT, begins at centre line of block between 49th and 50th Sts, distant 150 ft w of 6th Av, 25x0½, six deeds; Emma F. Hill and others, heirs of Joseph G. Hanson, to Tailfer Co., $1.

PLOTS, 199, 213, 228, 282, 287, 255, 519, and 520, s ¾ of 238, map of Arden property; Emma T. Shirmer to City Real Estate Company, $100.

RIVINGTON ST, s s, 20 ft e of Tompkins St, 80x irregular; Rivington St, s e corner of Tompkins St, 20x70; Dudley F. Malone, referee, to John A. McCarthy, $49,250.

SIMPSON ST, 1,249, 17.6x irregular; Marcus Nathan to James A. Martin, (mtg $4,850,) $100.

ST. NICHOLAS AV, n w corner of 181st St, 100x50; Thomas Smith to Thomas Smith Construction Co., (mtg $43,500,) $100.

THOMPSON ST, 15, w s, 20x100; Margarite Fischer to James S. Lawson, ½ part, (mtg $17,600,) $1.

VARICK ST, 65; Thomas Black to Catharine B. Lindsay, $1.

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WASHINGTON AV, 2,184; Bertha Keating to Margaret M. Wilson, (mtg $2,500,) $100.

WEBSTER AV, n w corner of 178th St, 83.4x88.4; Newman Dube to Morris Shoenthal, (mtg $23,000,) $100.

1ST AV, 854, 23x75; Kotzan Realty Co. to Aaron Kleegler, (mtg $15,600,) $100.

1ST AV, 1,889 to 1,893, w s, 76.5x irregular; Irving Bachrach to Charles A. Person, $100.

2D AV, e s, 23 ft n of 51st St, 30x58; David J. Rooks and another, executors, to Joseph P. McCormack, $13,104.

31ST ST, 114 West, s s, 21.10x107.3; Marie Ster to John H. Snell, (mtg $55,000,) $100.

60TH ST, n s, 85 ft w of Lexington Av, 20x100; Carl Stadtmueller to Norbert Stadtmueller, quitclaim, $1.

60TH ST, n s, 85 ft w of Lexington Av, 20x100; Norbert Stadtmueller to Carl Stadtmueller, (mtg $20,000,) $1.

60TH ST, 131 East, 20x100.5; Norbert Stadtmueller to Theo. C. Janeway, (mtg $16,000,) $100.

94TH ST, 133 West, n s, 16x100.8; Charles Gahren to Isabella S. Williamson, (mtg $10,000,) $100.

97TH ST, 204 to 208 East; Denis M. Sheerin to Joseph Guth, (mtg $36,000,) $1.

97TH ST, 204 to 208 East; John A. Weekes to Denis M. Sheerin, (mtg $33,000,) $1.

102D ST, n s, 78.10 ft w of 2d Av, 26.2x100.6; Harry Lehr to Sarah Newman, (mtg $23,000,) $100.

115TH ST, 225 East; Henry Rosenthal to Samuel A. Borenstein, $100.

115TH ST, 223 East; Samuel A. Borenstein to Henry Rosenthal, (mtg $7,500,) $100.

140TH ST, n s, 252 ft e of Robbins Av, 75.7x132.5; Katie Katner to Century Investing Co., (mtg $7,000,) $150.

183d St, s w corner of Prospect Av, 14.10x95; Frank M. Mosher to Giuseppe Tadnura, $2,000.

217TH ST, s s, 255.8 ft e of White Plains Road, 25x114.4x25x114.8; Warren Leslie, referee, to Thomas J. Goodwin, $2,450.

Recorded Mortgages.

Interest is at 6% unless otherwise specified.

ALBERT, Gussie, to Daisy L. Modry; 172d St, n s, 95.2 ft w of Washington Av, 45x105, 3 years, 6%.....$8,000

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ANDERSON, Henry B., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Park Av, 525, bond.....$70,000

BAUER, Edward A. A., to Annie R. Daily; Madison Av, s w s, 175 ft s e of 8d St, 25x100, Bronx, 3 years, 6%.....$1,000

BORNSTEIN, Samuel, to Robert G. Smith; 115th St, 225 East, 5 years, 5½%.....$7,000

BOYLAN, Aramanta F., to George W. Higley; Trinity Av, 916½, 3 years, 5½%.....$2,500

BRADY, Jennie, and Nora G. McManus, to Mary Diegmann; Ford St, s s, 175 ft w of Webster Av, 25x107.6x25x103.6, 3 years, 6%.....$2,000

BROADWAY-CORTLANDT CO. to General Electric Co.; Broad St, 42, and New St, 38, 21x irregular, prior mtg, 3 years, —?.....$300,000

BROWD, Ephraim, to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Madison Av, 1,885, 20x100, due as per bond $14,000

CAPITON REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION Co. to Breevoort Real Estate Co.; Broadway, w s, 39.11 ft s of 134th St, 40x100, 3 years, 5½%.....$35,700

CAPITOL REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION Co. to Breevoort Real Estate Co.; Broadway, w s, 79.11 ft s of 134th St, 100x irregular, 3 years, 5½%.....$36,800

DONNELLY, William F., to William S. G. Austin; 239 West 51st St, 3 years, 5½%.....$14,000

DONOHOE, Mary A., to Hudson P. Rose Co.; Lots 216 and 217, map of Hunter estate, Bronx, due Aug. 12, 1911, 5½%.....$1,400

EMMET, Thomas A., to Bowery Savings Bank; Madison Av, 89, 3 years, 4½%.....$15,000

FAIELLA, Joseph, to Charles F. Pfizenmayer; 2,357 Hoffman St, 3 years, 5½%.....$15,000

FAIELLA, Joseph, to Nelson H. Herzog; 357 Hoffman St, sub mtg $15,000, 2 years, 6%.....$5,000

FLEISCHMANN REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION Co. to Joseph Hornthal; 1,507 Charlotte St, 3 years, 6%.....$20,000

FLOYD, Elizabeth W., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; 9th St, 22 West, bond.....$20,000

FRENCH, Elizabeth A., to Elizabeth A. Sherwood and others, executors; Leroy St, 9, 28x90, prior mtg, 20 years.....$7,000

FRIEDMAN, Max, and David Weisz to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co.; Rivington St, 224, 24x63.9, 5 years, 5½%.....$18,000

HIGGINS, George, to William Beaman; Morris Av, e s, 74.2 ft s of 158th St, 25x irregular, 5 years, 6%.....$2,000

HOPPE, Minnie, to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; 1st Av, s e corner of 84th St, 26x73.11, due as per bond $19,000

KAUGHRAN, Susan A., to American Mortgage Co.; 78th St, 226 West, 3 years.....$4,200

KLEGLER, Aaron, to Kotzen Realty Co.; 1st Av, 854, e s, 25x75, prior mtg $11,000, 3 years, 6% $3,000

KOMMER, Martha, to Elise Eggert; Trinity Av, 702, e s, 18.9x80.2, 3 years.....$3,000

KOTZEN REALTY CO. to Morris Lazaroff; Henry St, 37, sub mtg $28,000, 5 years, 6%.....$11,000

LINDHEIM, Celia, to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Prospect Av, n w corner of 187th St, 100x20, bond.....$3,000

LINDHEIM, Celia, to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; 187th St, n s, 20 ft w of Prospect Av, 2 lots, each 25x100, 2 mtgs, each $3,000, bond.....$6,000

LOVELL, Marie R., to Gustave A. Kerker; 80th St, 130 West, 19x102.2, prior mtg $19,000, due as per bond.....$3,000

LOWENFELS, Louis, to Leo C. Mack; Columbus Av, w s, 76.1 ft n of 106th St, 25.1x100, 1 year, 6%.....$4,000

McCORMACK, Joseph F., to Fanny Cowen; 2d Av, e s, 25 ft n of 51st St, 20x58, 3 years.....$6,000

McCORMACK, Joseph F., to David J. Roche and another, executors; 2d Av, e s, 25 ft n of 51st St, 20x58, prior mtg $6,000, due July 1, 1908, 6%.....$5,000

MINUTILLO, Luciano, to Joseph A. Heaney; Lot 97, map of new village of Jerome, bond.....$500

MOSHER, Martha B., to Arthur B. Mosher; Broadway, e s, 24.11 ft s of 146th St, 75x100, prior mtg $152,000, 3 years, 6%.....$8,000

MURRAY, James J., to Mary E Chatry; Lots 820 to 826, map of Section D, Vyse estate, 3 years, 6%.....$4,000

O'CONNOR, Bartholomew, to German Savings Bank; 8th Av, n w corner of 114th St, 25.5x100, 1 year, 5½%.....$5,000

OSBORN, Henry F., to Stephen C. Clark; 24 East 70th St, bond.....$30,000

PENFIELD, William W., to Sarah A. Bneden; Lot 48, map of Washingtonville, 3 years, 6%.....$6,000

PHELPS, Henry M., to Simon Fox; 125 East 6th St, sub mtg $10,000, 5 years.....$20,000

PROCHASKA, Annie, to Sandow Realty Co.; 1,525 Brook Av, sub mtg $15,000, 1 year, 6%.....$500

REISSMAN, Charles, to Duncan Smith, trustee; 918 Forest Av, 3 years, 5½%.....$4,000

RINGELSTEIN, Charles, to Richard W. Horner; Lots 55 and 56, map of Lott W. Hunt estate, Bronx, due, &c., as per bond, 2 mortgs, each $3,000.....$6,000

ROBILLARD, Norbert, to Frederick Kessler and another; Green Lane, w s, 200 ft n of Lyon Av, 25x100, Bronx, 1 year.....$5,000

SANDOW REALTY CO. to Ellen M. Phillips; Brook Av, w s, 75 ft s of Wendover Av, 25x60, due Sept. 27, 1910, 6%.....$2,500

SHAPIRO, Minnie, to Gertrude Harburger; 97th St, 305 East, sub mtg $8,666, 3 years, 6%.....$1,800

SHAPIRO, Minnie, to Charles H. Phelps, executor; 305 East 97th St, due June 22, 1911, 5½%.....$8,666

SHEERIN, Denis M., to John A. Weekes; 97th St, 204 to 208 East, 3 years 6%.....$33,000

STRULL, Annie, to Dora Shapiro; 94th St, 237 East, n s, 25.5x100.8, prior mtg $13,000, 3 years, 6%.....$4,500

THOMAS SMITH CONSTRUCTION CO. to City Mortgage Co.; St. Nicholas Av, n w corner of 181st St, 100x50, demand, 6%.....$75,000

WELSH, S. Charles, to Philip Lehman; Franklin Av, 186 and 188, 5 years, 4½%.....$40,000

WILSON, Margaret M., to Philip Wattenberg; Washington Av, 2,134, 2 years, 6%.....$1,888

ZANGARA, Giovannie, to Nicolo Mannuro; 107th St, 236 East, 25x100.11, prior mtg $7,500, due as per bond.....$1,000

Mechanics' Liens.

3D AV, n e corner of 58th St, 50x150; F. N. Du Bois & Co. against Meyer Frank, owner; Weisberg Co., contractor, $2,528.

115TH ST, 117 to 129 East; F. N. Du Bois & Co. against Meyer Frank, owner; Weisberg Co., contractor, $6,100.

CROSBY ST, 65 to 71; Morris L. Weiss against John E. Olson, owner and contractor; John E. Olson Realty Co., owner, $1,561.

125TH ST, 14 East; Rudolf Gersmann against Adolph Kerbe, owner; Aldhous Construction Co., contractor, $480.

Satisfied Mechanics' Liens.

77TH ST, 58 West; Clarke & Co. against 44 West 77th St. Co. and others, Jan. 10, 1908, (by bond,) $19,000.

47TH ST, 9 West; Henry Erkins against Elvira Fischer-Hanson and others, Jan. 18, 1904, (canceled,) $228.

Lis Pendens.

136TH ST, s s, 293.9 ft e of Lenox Av, 20.9x99.11; Sophia E. Makler against Hyman Kaplan and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Kantrowitz & Esberg.

136TH ST, s s, 255 ft e of Lenox Av, 38.9x99.11; Flora Finkelberg against Hyman Kaplan and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Kantrowitz & Esberg.

55TH ST, s s, 105 ft e of Avenue A, 25x80; Fred Kuser and others against Charles A. Guthell and others, (amended foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. Newman.

67TH ST, s s, 100 ft w of West End Av, 200x100.5, two actions; Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States against Ida Margoles and others, (foreclosure of two mortgages;) attorneys, Alexander & Green.

2D AV, e s, 27.2 ft n of 76th St, 25.8x88.8; James A. McDonald against John P. McDonald and others, (partition;) attorney, J. Kearney.

141ST ST, 239 and 241 West; Otto Goldberg against Fredericka Hack, (action to foreclose mechanic's lien;) attorney, Leidy & Goodstein.

46TH ST, s s, 118 ft w of Broadway, 79x100.5, four actions; Taylor Phillips against James Churchill and others, (foreclosure of four mortgages;) attorneys, Fettretch, Silkman & Seybel.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 116; Andrew Beattie Co. against Dudley S. Harde and others, (action to foreclose mechanic's lien;) attorney, H. W. Showers.

106TH ST, 23 West; Bloomah Levine against Frances A. Yard and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Rosenbluth & Silverman.

147TH ST, s s, 215 ft w of Brook Av, 50x99.10; Katharine S. Lyons against Kate Noble and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, M. J. Sullivan.

147TH ST, s s, 215 ft w of Brook Av, 50x99.10; George J. Lyons and others against Kate Noble and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, M. J. Sullivan.

136TH ST, n s, 175 ft w of Home Av, 25x100; Nathan Lacher against Morris H. Feder and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, S. N. Tuckman.

84TH ST, n s, 210 ft w of 1st Av, 40x97.6; Esther H. Tremain against Peter Costello, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. A. Kent.

166TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of old line of Union Av, 75x150; City Real Estate Co. against Louis Lese and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, H. Swain.

VYSE AV, 1,155; William T. Park against Harry Freed and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, A. A. Silberberg.

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LOST—Between West 74th St., Columbus Av., 72d St. and East Drive, Central Park, and 72d St., heart-shaped brooch, topas centre, with pearls; reward. K., Box 44 Times, Times Square.

LOST—Gold bracelet, set with bands of pearls and emeralds, Sunday evening, Broadway car, between 99th and 63d Sts. Return to M. E. Hyman, 126 6th Av., and receive reward.

LOST—Bank Book No. 11,472, issued by the Yorkville Bank, special deposit department, to Sara Samuels; payment stopped; duplicate will be issued two weeks from date.

LOST—Keys on ring, between Squadron A Armory and 96th St. entrance to Park, or in Park. Finder please return to C. S. Butler, 125 East 38th St.

LOST—Wednesday evening, in taxicab, at 23d St. Ferry terminal, Persian lamb scarf; suitable reward. A. L. B., Box 36 Times, Times Square.

LOST—Woman's gray knitted sweater, (Alice Maynard, maker,) between 97th and 103d Sts.; liberal reward. Call Watson, 310 West 97th St.

LOST—In Bronx, papers relating to telephone service. Please return to New York Telephone Co., 366 East 150th St.; reward.

LOST—Bank Book No. 17,351, Italian Savings Bank; payment stopped. Kindly return to bank, 64-66 Spring St., New York.

LOST—Diamond pin, with tie, on Saturday; reward. Mrs. Sanders, 472 West End Av.

$100 REWARD, no questions asked, for return of a bay horse and wagon, stolen at 142d St. and Alexander Av. Langfelder's Steam Laundry, 312 and 314 East 92d St.

REWARD—Lost, on May 4, diamond crescent pin, 2½ inches long, in Waldorf-Astoria, Lyceum Theatre, or between. Liberal reward if returned to Udall & Ballau, 574 5th Av.

REWARD—Lost, pearl necklace, Monday. Return to 110 East 57th St.

LOST AND FOUND—CATS AND DOGS.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

LOST—Saturday, in the vicinity of 59th St. and 6th Av., King Charles spaniel; answers to the name of Pym; reward. 540 Park Av.

LOST—A small skye terrier, near 44th St. and 9th Av.; valued for association; liberal reward. Return to stable, 418 West 44th St.

LOST—Large greyhound; liberal reward for return. M. Altman, 1,944 Madison Av.

UNWANTED DOGS AND CATS should be taken to the A. S. P. C. Shelter for Animals, 102d St. and East River, or the Ambulance House, at 111 East 22d St. Owners of lost dogs and cats and responsible persons wishing to procure pets should apply at the Shelter.

FOUND.

FOUND, May 7—Interborough Rapid Transit Company, 59 Greenwich St.: On Second Av. Elevated—Lunch pail, book, pair socks, handbag, 2 pairs gloves, demijohn. On Third Av. Elevated—Coat, dress, sack, rubber coat, gas heater, gas fixture, 2 handbags, 7 umbrellas, pocketbook, spectacles, book, roll music, gloves, insurance policies, rubber balls, package tools, package cards, 4 purses, 3 satchels, breastpin, beads, 3 books, wall paper, 2 rolls plans, roll paper, pair shoes, package collars, 3 dresses, flask. On Sixth Av. Elevated—Rubber cover, package linen, linen duster, photo, box fruit, can meat, odd glove, 3 books, hat, spectacle case, knife, 7 umbrellas, package clothing, 2 purses, box cigars, gloves, necklace, 2 pocketbooks, glove, pair gloves, 3 books, check, keys, twine, collars, liquid. On Ninth Av. Elevated—Umbrella, roll photographs, odd glove, picture, underwear, apron, boxes nails, bottle medicine. In Subway. Three books, odd glove, gloves, rolls wall paper, apron, shirt, keys, veil, bottle perfume, chandelier, crayons, socks, fur, 4 umbrellas, watch, society pin, eyeglasses, 3 handbags, bank book.

FOUND, May 5-6—Pennsylvania R. R., Jersey City, N. J.: On Trains—Four umbrellas, one glove, key, silver cup, book, rubbers, gloves, lady's slipper, nightshirt, toilet set, pocketbook, memorandum book, nightshirt, roll of signs, shawl, coat, book, two packages, pajamas, gloves, vest, two umbrellas, book, rubbers, cap, tooth brush, slippers, card case, jar and contents, rain coat, box and contents, grip, cuffs and buttons, eyeglasses, hypodermic syringe, nightshirt, slippers, gloves, music roll, gloves, knife, rubbers, necklace, hat, overcoat, purse, coat, brush, toilet set. In Jersey City Station—Gloves. On Annex Ferryboat—Kodak. On 23d St. Ferryboats—Two packages, gloves. On Cortlandt St. Ferryboats—Handbag, grip, 2 umbrellas.

FOUND, May 4—Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, 168 Montague St., Brooklyn: On Elevated Lines—Books, suit case, bag, raincoat, music, curtain fixtures, letters, gloves, ferrule and cuffs, shoes, shawl, keys, coat, grip, library book, brace, blue print, catalogue, notebook. On Surface Lines—Photo, goods, book, regalia, cap, napkins, 2 books, trousers, sweater, papers, bayonet, belt, overalls, plans.

FOUND, May 5-6—New England Navigation Company, Apply office Commissary, foot Warren St.: Fall River Line, S. S. Puritan—Plant, 2 shirts, rubbers, novel, eyeglasses, lightdress, slippers, comb. Norwich Line, S. S. Lowell—Cuffs, buttons, scarfpin. Fall River Line, S. S. Priscilla—Shirt, veil, brush. Norwich Line, S. S. Chapin—Shaving and tooth brushes.

FOUND, May 5-6—N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., Grand Central Station: Grip, letter, 2 umbrellas, 2 overcoats, knife, coat, 2 packages, 4 umbrellas, pair gloves, cuff button, 2 packages, 4 umbrellas, railroad ticket, box, 2 books, sun dial, cap, hat, glove, lunch box, grip, 2 purses.

FOUND, May 6—On parlor and sleeping cars operated on the Erie R. R. Apply Mr. D. W. Morrison, Erie Station, Jersey City: Rubbers, rubber sheet, glass and frame, soap, book, box, eyeglasses and case.

FOUND, May 5—Jersey Central R. R., Jersey City: Package, overcoat.

FOUND, May 6—Police Headquarters, 300 Mulberry St.: Coat.

BOARDERS WANTED.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

West Side.

7TH AV., 2,053, (123d.)—Attractive rooms; homelike surroundings; finest board; elegant location; moderate; references.

93TH ST., 9 WEST.—Attractive, large rooms; excellent table board; references.

56TH ST., 207 WEST.—Attractive, large rooms; elevator apartment; near Broadway; table guests; reasonable. Hart.

93TH ST., 104 WEST.—Large front room; well furnished; excellent cuisine; Summer rates; telephone; references.

81ST, 116 WEST.—Large rooms; single, en suite; strictly high-class board; references required.

91ST., 48 W.—Large and small rooms; near parks, Subway, elevated; bath; telephone; excellent table.

93D ST., 168 WEST.—Desirable double room; dressing room; select home; couple; gentlemen; table guests.

93D ST., 122 WEST.—Pleasant room, southern exposure; all conveniences; good board; telephone; references.

96TH ST., 61 WEST.—Large cool rooms; excellent board; Summer rates; telephone; references; table board.

142D ST., 516 WEST. (Washington Heights.)—Attractive house; good board; refined, Christian family; references.

149TH ST., 542 WEST.—Beautiful, large room, bath; $14-$16, two; medium room, $7; good home; meals. Telephone 5137 W—Audubon.

WEST END AV., 879, corner 103d.—Block from Riverside Park, Subway express station, and surface cars; no traffic or noise; most beautiful location New York; handsomely furnished rooms, private baths, and private telephones; more foliage than country, none of its disadvantages; superior table.

East Side.

17TH ST., 116 EAST.—Two small rooms, with board; exceptionally good table; table guests.

21ST ST., 139 EAST, Gramercy Park.—Furnished rooms, with board; all conveniences; Summer rates.

BOARDERS WANTED.

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East Side.

58TH ST., 50 EAST.—Refined people can secure exceptionally desirable rooms, with board, at Summer rates; also ready to make arrangements for Fall and Winter; references required.

MADISON AV., 673, 694, 696, (61st.)—Suites; double and single rooms; Summer prices; $18 to $25, with board, two persons; American.

Brooklyn.

THE FINEST LOCATION in Greater N. Y., 5 and 7 Montague Terrace, Heights, overlooking Wall St., three minutes by Subway, Broadway, N. Y., fifteen seashore; floor, rooms, furnished unfurnished; neighborhood house, table high class. 905 Main.

Long Island.

DOUGLAS MANOR INN, Douglaston.—Open the year round. In the centre of large estate on Little Neck Bay. Attractive and homelike. Easy commuting distance. Write for terms and particulars.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

ACCOMMODATIONS in every section of Manhattan, Bronx, and Brooklyn, personally inspected; tell us your wants; list mailed free; if you have desirable vacancies consult us. Telephone 5975—38th. Temple Rental Company, 110 West 34th St.

West Side.

12TH ST., 189 WEST.—Comfortable, large room; private house; electric light; telephone; references.

44TH ST., 210 WEST.—Very desirable rooms in well-furnished and quiet house; conveniences; references.

63TH ST., 59 WEST.—Elegantly furnished front room; exclusive elevator apartment; $4. Third apartment, west.

86TH ST., 308 WEST.—Desirable room; near Drive; Summer rates; gentlemen.

88TH ST., 201 WEST.—Elegantly furnished, clean, light, airy parlor and bedroom; bath; gentlemen. Carpenter.

94TH ST., 55 WEST.—Finely furnished room, private bath, in private house; telephone, electric light; gentleman only; breakfast served in room if desired.

94TH ST., 78 WEST.—Large room; single; running water; large closets; thoroughly clean; comfortable. Higham.

95TH ST., 246 WEST.—Subway express half block; bright, cool, elegantly furnished rooms; elevator; home cooking; meals optional. Telephone 6180—River. Talford.

111TH ST., 125 WEST.—Private house; running water, hot, cold; American family; Subway, L.

118TH ST., 420 WEST, (Morningside Heights.)—Sitting room and bedroom, furnished; attractive location; restaurant near; reduced Summer rates. Apply hallboy.

143D ST., 520 WEST, (Tel. 3554 Audubon.)—Private house; nicely furnished rooms for men; handy to Broadway Subway, ball grounds, and excursion boats.

173D ST., 558 WEST.—One nicely furnished room, bath adjoining; private house; running water; telephone.

BOARD AND ROOM DIRECTORY.

1 line 7 words 7 times 70c.

2d Av., 234.—Large, small; all conveniences.

127 St., 64 W.—Elegant furnished rooms; reasonable; phone.

152D ST., 467 WEST.—Single, double; telephone.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

GOVERNESSES, teachers, housekeepers, matrons, attendants, nurses, &c. Hopkins' Educational Agency, 1 Union Square.

HELP WANTED—MALES.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

ADVERTISING SOLICITOR—Young man, (19 to 21,) on daily newspaper to solicit cards for daily trade directory on commission. Address S. R., Box 145 Times, Times Square.

ADVERTISING SOLICITOR.—An active man to solicit advertising on a commission basis. Experience, Box 57 Times, Times Square.

BOOKKEEPER, STENOGRAPHER. — Young man, rapid stenographer, competent bookkeeper; no advance fee. Drake's, 154 Nassau.

BOOKKEEPER.—Christian; experienced in real estate; no advance fee; call immediately. Drake's, 154 Nassau.

CORRESPONDENT, publishing, $15; bookkeeper, clothing, $18; other openings. Mighill, (Position Bro'kr,) 154 Flatiron Building.

EXPRESS CLERK.—Must understand routine express department; furnish A1 references. Call Drake's, 154 Nassau St.

HAPGOODS.

BOOKKEEPER AND OFFICE MGR. for dry gds. commission merchants; must be familiar with this line, able to handle details of shipments, invoices, &c.; $1,800 to start. CLERK for general office work at cement mill; $780.

SALESMEN positions now open in the following lines: Shoe upper leather, $1,200-$2,000; high-class mining stock; exceptional offer; flavoring extracts, N. Y. C. bakery and confectionery trade; whisky, $2,000 and exp.; wines, liquors, and whiskies, $1,500; food products, $1,040 and exp.; bakers' supplies, $1200-$1,500; tea and coffee, $1,300 and exp.; mineral water, $780-$1,040; printing and decorating, $520-$780 and com.; pictures, frames, and art gds., salary and com.; cigarettes, salary open; transmission machy, must have experience in store or planing mill equipment, $1,500 to start; electrical supplies, $1,000 to start; stocks, bonds, and investment securities, must be able to secure and manage agents, want man capable of earning $5,000 or more; plumbing supplies, exp. and draw acct.; mechanical rubber gds., $1,200 and exp. to start; ship chandlery, $780-up; plumbing supplies, must be familiar with N. Y. architects, $780-$1,040 and com.; shoes, $1,000-$1,500 and com.; ladies' and men's furnishings; woolens; optical gds.; stocks and bonds for real estate operators; paper; engraving; books, $1,800-$1,560 and com.

STENOGRAPHER, preferably of electrical experience; location, N. Y. C., $936.

STENOGRAPHER for life insurance agency; location, Conn., $720.

For information about above and other sales, executive, clerical, professional, and technical position, call or write.

HAPGOODS, 307 Broadway.

ORGANIST.—Roman Cath. Ch. Church, Long Island, $300. Webster's Choir Exchange, 156 5th Av.

SALESMEN.—Ladies and gentlemen of ability and large acquaintance wanted to sell suburban property; customers furnished; experience unnecessary; for recommending parties to us we pay good commission and do the work. Inducement, 153 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN wanted on fine proposition; can make big money easily; best season now; only men of good appearance need apply. Apply P. B. Purdy, 9 East 26th St.

WANTED—For U. S. Army, able-bodied, unmarried men between ages of 18 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read, and write English; men wanted now for service in Cuba and the Philippines. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 25 3d Av., 2,362 3d Av., 962 3d Av., 308 East 34th St., 749 6th Av., 147 Park Row, 79 Cortlandt St., 332 8th Av., 2,305 8th Av., New York; 363 Fulton St., 474 5th Av., 197 Havemeyer St., Brooklyn; 47 Montgomery St., Jersey City; 24 Hudson Place, Hoboken, N. J.

WANTED.—A first-class electric fixture salesman for a position on the Pacific Coast; must be experienced in handling local trade. Address E., Box 40 Times, Times Square.

WANTED—Good salesmen to interview prospective buyers real estate. Albert Edwards, 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.

WANTED—A man to solicit advertisements on commission. H. J., Box 95 Times, Times Square.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

BOOKKEEPER.—Competent bookkeeper and stenographer; several years experience; can take full charge; salary $18.00. E., Box 24 Times, Times Square.

HOUSEWORKERS.—Several colored girls, experienced, with city references; city or country; other good Southern help furnished, Lincoln Industrial Exchange, 314 West 59th St. 'Phone 4786 Columbus.

STENOGRAPHER, TYPEWRITER, BOOKkeeper.—Beginner; $5; took thorough course; careful, conscientious, good penman; very willing, neat. Miss Moore, Box 192 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Limited experience; transcribes notes without difficulty; spells correctly; $7. Anxious, 89 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER and TYPEWRITER.—Several years' experience; conscientious, competent. S., Box 161 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Broad experience; really does good work; doesn't know it all. Bennett, P. O. Box 1,045.

WAITRESS.—A lady leaving town would like to get a place for her waitress. Apply at 110 East 70th St., between 11 and 1 o'clock.

The Evidence of Experience

Persons seeking positions have been suited, and employers have discovered the superior sort of help by a small advertisement in *The New York Times*. Keen scrutiny is exercised in the insertion of all announcements, and the co-operation of the public is invited toward the exclusion of disingenuous advertising. All communications treated as confidential.

Lost articles, roomers, boarders, rooms, stenographers, secretaries, chauffeurs—every kind of help, business and domestic, found by *The New York Times*. Advertisements received at the offices of the American District Telegraph Company and 500 *Times* agencies throughout the city. Inquire about three and seven time rates.

Telephone 1000 Bryant.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, FIRST JUDICIAL Department.—Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III., thereof, to be held in and for the County of New York at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 4th day of June, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of three disinterested freeholders, residents of the City of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property rights, franchises, easements or privileges sought to be taken or acquired by the City of New York, or which may be affected or damaged by this proceeding.

The City of New York, by this proceeding, seeks to acquire an estate in fee simple in certain real property hereinafter described for the construction, maintenance and operation in perpetuity of a Rapid Transit Railroad, including certain stations and station approaches or entrances, in accordance with the routes adopted by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners by resolution on the 25th day of May, 1905, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York on the 14th day of July, 1905, and approved by the Mayor of the City of New York on the 28th day of July, 1905, and consented to by an order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First Judicial Department, made and entered on or about the 12th day of March, 1907, which railroad, including stations and station approaches or entrances, further described and in the contract for the construction thereof made by the City of New York, acting by the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, with the Degnon Contracting Company, dated May 9, 1907, which said contract was thereafter duly modified by a contract of modification dated February 18, 1908. The subway or subways for said railroad are to be constructed substantially as shown in such contract modified as aforesaid, and upon the maps or plans adopted by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1908.

The premises in which an estate in fee simple is to be acquired in this proceeding are three parcels of land, briefly described as follows:

The first parcel consists of certain lots or parcels of land designated upon the said maps adopted by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York on the 13th day of March, 1908, which said maps are filed one in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 23d day of March, 1908, one in the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York, at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of March, 1908, and one in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 20th day of March, 1908.

Dated New York, April 20th, 1908.

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WALL ST. AROUSED OVER M'INTYRE CASE

Brokerage Houses Resent His Reported Assertion That They All Use Customers' Stocks.

DENIAL FROM THE EXCHANGE

Secretary Ely Says the Practice of Hypothecation of Patrons' Securities Would Not Be Tolerated..

Wall Street was worked up yesterday over the discredit cast upon brokers generally by the statement credited to T. A. McIntyre, that in hypothecating securities owned by customers the firm was only doing what was the custom in the Street.

Mr. McIntyre, who was the head of the Stock Exchange house of T. A. McIntyre & Co., which failed recently, had said, according to the attorney for the receiver of his firm who questioned him on his sick bed on Wednesday, that "it was wrong, but it was business."

Customers of the firm have put in claims for about $40,000 of stocks and bonds which they say they own outright, but of which only a trifling amount have so far been discovered among the firm's assets.

The stigma cast on Wall Street houses by the McIntyre failure was intensified by the statement from Receiver Werner of the firm of Coster, Knapp & Co. that Charles Coster, the head of the firm, who killed himself, had also hypothecated his customers' securities, but to a much greater extent than has been discovered in the case of the McIntyre concern. Mr. Werner estimated the liabilities of Coster, Knapp & Co. yesterday at about $2,000,000, practically all of which has been lost by customers of the house whose securities, intrusted to Mr. Coster's care, have been lost in his speculations.

These scandalous developments coming in such quick succession brought out an official statement from Secretary Ely of the Stock Exchange denying in emphatic terms the statement attributed to Mr. McIntyre that the hypothecation of securities belonging to clients was a common practice among Stock Exchange houses.

"The Stock Exchange would not countenance such a practice for a moment," said Mr. Ely, "and every broker knows it. It is absurd to say that such a practice prevails."

Mr. Ely explained that it is the custom among Stock Exchange houses to mark and put away securities received from clients, so that they can be identified. Such stocks and bonds, he said, are carefully kept in the firm's safe deposit boxes, and never touched until called for by the client. Mr. Ely said that a broker had no right to use securities owned outright by his customers as security for loans made to himself.

T. S. Ormiston, Mr. McIntyre's counsel, visited him at the Sixtieth Street sanitarium, where he is under treatment, and later denied that he had made any such statement as was attributed to him to the effect that it was the custom of Stock Exchange houses, his own included, to borrow money on "paid-up" securities belonging to their customers.

Mr. McIntyre expressed the greatest regret, said his counsel, that in the informal conversation he had with the receiver and his counsel at his bedside he should have used language susceptible of the construction given to it.

Irving L. Ernst of the law firm of Gruber, Olcott & McManus, counsel for Receiver Burlingham, when informed last night of Mr. McIntyre's denial of the statement attributed to him, said:

"The securities were hypothecated. Of that there is no question and there can be no denial. Whether or not Mr. McIntyre intended to give the impression that such hypothecation was the practice of his and other firms, the fact is he did give such impression. If it was an oversight for $300,000 worth of securities to go out in that way and he is willing to correct that oversight, I don't believe any one will object."

Half a dozen blocks of securities owned by customers of the firm have been traced through the books to the firm's bank loans, and in some cases it has been found that the missing shares have been sold to other customers.

The endeavors of the mulcted customers to get trace of their stock has been carried on through the books of the house and in the examinations of the members of the firm and other witnesses before United States Commissioner Gilchrist. At the hearing yesterday W. Wager, an assistant cashier of the Consolidated National Bank, was examined in connection with the firm's account. It was brought out that the balance of McIntyre & Co. on the last day of business was only $2,130.

Checks for $18,000, mostly drawn against the firm's out-of-town branches, were deposited the next morning, but of these $17,000 were unpaid. The firm had secured certification of checks for $18,000, and now claims a lien for that amount against the balance of about $12,000 obtained on the sale of collateral above the firm's loans.

Mr. Ernst contended that the $18,000 certification was plainly illegal, and a part of a series of "check-kiting." The bank, he insisted, can have no possible lien on the stock deposited to protect the $80,000 loan, which had a face value of $72,000, and that the unsold stock and bonds, after paying the $80,000 note, are the property of the receiver, to be used for the benefit of the firm's creditors. If the bank certified the $18,000 check with nothing behind it but a little over $2,000 cash balance, and the still unpaid checks of $17,000, Mr. Ernst asserted the bank did it on its own responsibility.

The witness said the firm had long been a regular customer of the bank, keeping an average balance of $5,000, but he denied that there was any agreement whereby the bank agreed to certify for McIntyre & Co. up to $20,000, providing the daily balance was kept at $5,000.

John G. McIntyre, the Exchange member of the firm, was examined concerning the make-up of the firm and the identity of the owners of certain accounts which appeared under numbers on the books and were largely in debt to the firm for losses sustained on the bear side of the market. One account about which he was questioned was called on the books "Number 50." The witness refused to tell who was behind this number on the ground that the knowledge was privileged.

Commissioner Gilchrist refused to consider the excuse, and Mr. McIntyre finally said the account belonged to Brandt Walker. Mr. Walker was a large bear operator, who was said to have cleaned up a fortune in the declines of 1907. Mr. McIntyre said he did not know Mr. Walker personally and had never seen him but once.

In the affairs of the house of Coster, Knapp & Co. it developed that Charles Coster had practically wiped out the fortunes of his wife and mother-in-law, Mrs. Anthon, by his speculations. Their losses, it was said by Receiver Werner, would total more than $300,000. Other relatives of the suicide bring the total losses of the immediate family up to something over $400,000, of which his brother, W. B. Coster, stands to lose about $5,000 and J. H. and Henry Steers small amounts. There were about fifty customers of the firm, Receiver Werner said, and their losses made up the greater part of the total liabilities of $2,000,000.

It was Mr. Coster's custom to secure the speculative accounts with other firms in which he made his losses with stocks and bonds belonging to his customers. The equity in the bank loans and the Stock Exchange accounts, together with the few stocks and bonds which were left in the firm's strong boxes, will make total assets of about $500,000, the receiver said. In many cases where the securities of customers were taken, they had been pledged by the owners as collateral for margins, but in most cases the margins were so wide that Mr. Coster had no excuse for selling them.

The result of the use of customers' collateral for his own loans has resulted, as in the case of the McIntyre customers, in wholesale claims by the owners for such stocks and bonds as have been left with brokerage houses. About $450,000 of the $500,000 assets consists of securities in which ownership is contested. In order to straighten out this tangle the receiver will have suits begun immediately to determine where title rests.

GIFTS TO HISTORY MUSEUM.

President Osborn Presents 6,000 Volumes—More New Expeditions.

Several important gifts to the American Museum of Natural History were announced yesterday afternoon at the quarterly meeting of the Board of Trustees. Arrangements were also perfected for a number of expeditions into little-known regions for the purpose of increasing the museum collections.

Among the donations to the museum is one from President Osborn of his personal monographic library containing nearly 6,000 volumes on vertebrate zoology, paleontology, and geology, the value of which is estimated at $12,000.

Charles F. Senff has given a collection of Filipino weapons, many carved and inlaid with silver, and King Leopold and the Belgian Government have sent the fourth shipment of ethnological material from the Congo Free State. George W. Collord has given a handsome bronze statue of a horse.

Among the expeditions for the coming Summer which were announced were those of L. S. Quackenbos, who will go to Alaska to search for mammoth remains; Roy C. Andrews, who is now in Vancouver, to obtain cretacean material to complete the museum's collection of whales; Dr. Dahlgren, who is in the Bahamas, to obtain the necessary material for the construction of a coral reef in the museum; Dr. R. H. Lowie, who is now on his way to Northern Alberta, Canada, to collect anthropological material.

Harlan I. Smith, it was announced, will go to Nebraska and Wyoming, Alanson Skinner to Hudson Bay, Dr. H. E. Crampton to Tahiti, and Capt. Cromer to Baffin Land, all in the interest of the anthropological department of the museum.

The Trustees have published a handsome memorial volume of the resolutions received from various scientific organizations both in this country and abroad relative to the late President Jesup. The volume is issued in quarto form and contains a fine photogravure of Mr. Jesup.

PEQUOT HOUSE BURNS.

Famous Old Hotel at New London Completely Destroyed.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW LONDON, May 7.—At an early hour this morning the famous Pequot House, which crowned the headland at the western entrance to New London harbor, took fire and the blaze lasted for several hours, threatening the entire Pequot settlement of cottages and many splendid Summer homes on Pequot Avenue. The cause of the fire is not known.

Two of the Pequot cottages near by were entirely destroyed and one other, belonging to Mrs. Andrews of New York, was wrecked.

That the burning of the old hotel will affect the Summer trade considerably is conceded by many of the leading merchants and citizens. Had the hotel burned a few weeks earlier the prospects of an up-to-date hostelry on its site this Summer would have been an assured fact.

As the matter now stands there is no regret that the ramshackle wooden building that had long outlived its usefulness as a modern Summer hotel, has been wiped out of existence, but the fire causes speculation as to what effect the loss will have on Summer patronage.

Many of the cottages in the colony are leased by the Pequot Hotel owners, and their occupants depend upon the big hotel for meals. It is too late to erect another hotel this season, and the prospective cottagers are apt to cancel their leases.

As the main hotel was about fifty-eight years old it was practically valueless from a structural standpoint, but was insured for $15,000. The total loss to the hotel and adjoining buildings is estimated at $35,000.

2 PRODUCE 'CHANGE TICKETS.

Second One Put in the Field to Break Away from Present Conditions.

A second ticket for the coming election on the Produce Exchange was announced yesterday, with Nathaniel Doyle as candidate for President. The new ticket, which is known as the "Members' Ticket," names in addition to Mr. Doyle the following candidates for Managers:

L. A. Morey, John Aspergen, and E. G. Broenniman. The other officers are the same as named on the regular ticket.

Mr. Doyle said yesterday that while the platform of the new ticket had not yet been officially promulgated, it would represent a movement on the part of the active members of the Exchange to break away from the lethargy which the institution has gradually fallen into.

"We want the Exchange to take the place in the commercial life of the city it used to hold," said Mr. Doyle yesterday. "After work has been started in this direction, we will take up as side lines real estate and life insurance, which have clogged the proper activities of the Produce Exchange, and see what can be done toward relieving the institution of these drags."

CITY BREVITIES.

The children of Public School 54, at 104th Street and Amsterdam Avenue, will open their garden to-day. The garden is an annex to the school playground and was formerly paved, but the Principal has had it remodeled so that each child can have a separate garden plot.

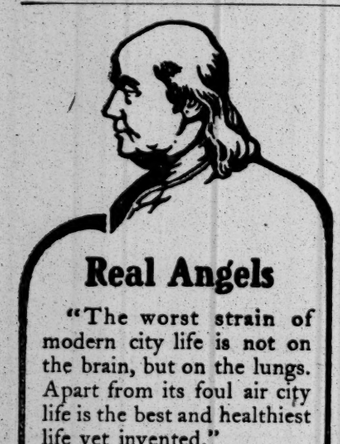
Isidore Kuhe, Secretary of the Continental Paper Bag Company, was under examination by the Federal Grand Jury yesterday in the investigation of the Manila and Fibre Paper Manufacturers' Association, organized by John H. Parks, and alleged to be a combination in restraint of trade.

Supreme Court Justice Davis, by consent of counsel on both sides, appointed Appleton D. Palmer referee yesterday to try the issues involved in an action brought by Ethel M. Clarey against John Clarey, Jr. The papers in the case say that the suit is to recover $15,000 due on a promissory note.

An oil painting of himself was presented to Michael H. Blake, Republican leader of the Ninth Assembly District, last night at district headquarters, 265 West Thirty-fourth Street. The painting is to be hung on the walls of the clubhouse.

On the plea of Sigmund Schwartz of the Pushcart Association, who led seventy-five peddlers through the streets in the rain yesterday to the Street Cleaning Department, the Commissioner allowed the peddlers to get their carts, confiscated in a raid, on payment of $1 instead of the $5 usually charged.

An action has been begun by N. Taylor Phillips in the Supreme Court to foreclose a second mortgage on Nos. 206, 208, 210, and 212 West Forty-sixth Street. The Churchill Realty Company, the principal stockholder of which is James Churchill, the restaurateur, is named as defendant, and Mr. Churchill said last night that the company sold out its interest four months ago to the Acker-Merrall-Condit Company.



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CANDIDATES GRILLED BY DINNER GUESTS

Taft, Bryan, Hughes, Johnson, and Roosevelt Caricatured by Illinois Society.

THE DARK HORSE ELECTED

Chosen from "Presidential Possibilities"—Carnegie Host and Washington a Waiter.

"Andy Carnegie," so the programme said, gave a dinner at the Waldorf last night, at which the invited guests failed to show up. Their places were filled by "Joe Cannon," "Senator Foraker," "Gov. Johnson," "Vice President Fairbanks," "William R. Hearst," "Gov. Hughes," "William Jennings Bryan," "Secretary Taft," and "President Roosevelt," the same being the result of the efforts of "Booker Washington," whom, as the waiter, "Mr. Carnegie" dispatched into the street to obtain guests. They were persuaded to attend by the offer of a library apiece as the dinner souvenirs.

The dinner was on the stage of the grand ball room before an audience of 250 members and friends of the Illinois Society. The programme described the affair as a "Grill Room Convention," the principal part of which was the skit by Herbert Hall Winslow, entitled "Presidential Possibilities." Afterward there was an examination of the heads of the "possibilities" by Miss Jessie A. Fowler, head of the new "Bureau of Phrenology," speeches, and a buffet lunch.

Judge Elbert H. Gary, President of the society, introduced Charles Elley Hall as Chairman of the "convention" with the words: "I am glad it rained and I am sorry to see you all here."

Frank Russell as "Mr. Bryan" looked the part and caught the audience by his imitation of the mannerisms of the Nebraskan. The rest of the cast was "Mr. Carnegie," William Evans in dress coat and kilts; "Mr. Washington," Joseph Sullivan in conventional waiter's costume; "Mr. Cannon," Charles Powell with a heavy mallet, which he wielded with force; "Mr. Foraker," Redfield R. Clarke; "Mr. Johnson," George Sydenham with a big grip labeled "The Swedish Vote," which he insisted was the only thing he was sure of and, therefore, kept closely at his side; "Mr. Fairbanks," George Henery; "Mr. Hearst," Gerald King in a suit made of "Evening Journals"; "Mr. Hughes," Charles Kennedy; "Mr. Taft," Doc Cannon; "Mr. Roosevelt," Al Phillipps, with a big stick, and "The Dark Horse" in a heavy black mask. At the close of the "convention" he was unanimously "elected."

The entrance of the emergency guests of "Mr. Carnegie" was preceded by a loud banging and shouting, which "Mr. Washington" explained was caused by each insisting on coming in first. "Mr. Hearst's" approach was marked by loud shouts of "Extra! Extra! Last edition of day-after-to-morrow's paper." When he reached the door he said he wouldn't come in "if Jerome was there." On being assured by "Mr. Carnegie" that "Jerome was over at the Court House investigating himself" "Mr. Hearst" appeared with a bunch of "Evening Journals" under his arm. "Gov. Hughes" was told as he came in that two wagons were stalled in Fifth Avenue. "Call a special session of the Legislature and don't send Grady an invitation," he ordered. Then the orchestra struck up "Tammany" and "Mr. Bryan" appeared.

The calcium had been allowed to wander across the stage, and as he stepped to the footlights he shouted, "What's the matter with that light?" which remark he repeated every time it was allowed to stray from him.

"Mr. Taft" was greeted by the host with "Well, Mr. Secretary, you seem to be sure of the nomination."

"I should say I am," he replied. "I have fifty-seven more votes promised me than there are in the convention." As he took his seat at table the chair collapsed under him, to the loud merriment of the others.

Then came "Mr. Roosevelt" with much shouting. After greeting every one with a "Dee-light-ed" he was called to the 'phone. "Give me Berlin," he told central. "Is this you, Wilhelm? Well, you were right. They only fought seven rounds."

Then "Fairbanks" received a cocktail of about a quart, containing about fifty cherries. "Hughes" announced that he was also for race suicide or race homicide, or anything else that killed races. A straw vote was taken, and each "possibility" received one vote, "Hearst" declaring that he believed somebody had voted for himself and that he would contest the election.

The speeches were made by Judge Charles F. Moore, President of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, who paid his respects to Mr. Taft, remarking that "We don't want anything in the White House who resembles the Meat Trust"; Col. J. B. Shale, ex-President of The Publishers' Press; John Clyde Oswald, editor of The American Printer; Col. Allan S. Williams, Dr. James C. Bayles, ex-editor of The Iron Age, and Melville Stone. The souvenirs were one-hundred-dollar "Cassie Chadwick" bank-notes, which, the Chairman announced, would be redeemed by Mr. Carnegie in United States Steel common.

Among those present were Mrs. E. H. Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Siegel, Mr. and Miss Cassius M. Wicker, and Mr. and Miss Shale.

Maine Society Elects Trustees.

The Maine Society held its annual meeting for the election of Trustees in the Hotel Astor last night. These Trustees were elected to serve three years: B. G. Pettigrew, A. H. Hinckley, C. H. Kilbourne, A. H. Bickmore, and Frank S. Tolman. Following the election Miss Phebe Pendleton sang a number of songs. Then there was dancing.

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MR. CHOATE MAKES ADDRESS

The Silver Vases Were Presented Gov. Clinton on the Completion of the Erie Canal.

At the one hundred and fortieth annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, the Jesup portrait of Washington, by Gilbert Stuart, was presented to the Chamber by Joseph H. Choate on behalf of the widow of Morris K. Jesup. Mrs. Jesup also presented the two silver vases from her husband's collection which were given to Gov. De Witt Clinton by the merchants of New York in 1825 on the completion of the Erie Canal. Mr. Jesup purchased the vases from the last direct heir of Gov. Clinton, to whom Mrs. Jesup is related.

The chamber already has a famous collection of portraits of early New York merchants and statesmen, including a Trumbull portrait of Hamilton, and the walls of the meeting room are already lined with canvases. No place had been chosen on the wall for the Washington portrait before yesterday's meeting. A special meeting of the committee having such matters in charge will be called, to determine where to place the gifts.

The vases are 24 inches high, 21 inches between the extremities of the handles, have a diameter of 14 inches at the widest point, and contain 400 ounces of silver each. They were designed after the vase now in the possession of the Earl of Warwick which was found among the ruins of Hadrian's villa.

The Washington portrait was placed in Mr. Jesup's private gallery about three years before his death. He purchased it from A. T. Goodol of London after it had passed through many hands in this country and England.

In presenting the vases to the chamber, Mr. Choate said they commemorated the greatest internal development the country had ever achieved at the time.

"I think it is a forgotten fact," added Mr. Choate, "that the Government had offered to Gov. Clinton the choice of remaining Governor and carrying out the canal project or accepting a foreign embassy. Very wisely he accepted the former."

A letter thanking Mrs. Jesup for the gifts was approved by the chamber, and a resolution of thanks was also adopted. The date for the annual banquet of the chamber was set for Nov. 19 next.

Officers were elected as follows: President—J. Edward Simmons; Vice Presidents, to serve four years—Cleveland H. Dodge, James J. Hill, and George F. Baer; Treasurer—William H. Porter; Secretary—George Wilson; Chairman of Executive Committee—A. Barton Hepburn; and Chairman of Committee on Finance and Currency—James G. Cannon.

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The Treasury Department's conscience fund was enriched yesterday by the addition of $1 received in a letter by Collector Fowler from a repentant importer. The letter was dated New York and read:

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Henry C. Stuart, Acting Collector, said that as the importer had omitted his name and address it would be impossible for Uncle Sam to make personal acknowledgment of the duty money.

Dowie's Personal Property Only $1,200.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Mrs. John Alexander Dowie was awarded $400 by the appraisers of the personal property of the late founder of Zion City. They filed their report showing that instead of the great wealth supposed to have been held by Dowie, the total amount was $1,200. Mrs. Dowie received the widow's share, one-third. She still has a claim on the real estate, whatever it is, or may prove to be.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

A. M.	Loss.
12:30—101 5th Av.; unknown	None
1:05—118 W. 94th St.; Elliah Hyman	Trifling
2:35—101 Orchard St.; Silverman, Lieber & Blum	$10,000
6:15—407 Broome St.; American New System Company	$5,000
7:15—1,819 Madison Av.; Samuel Litchstein	$200
P. M.	
12:36—9 Rutgers St.; Ruben Orjen	Trifling
12:55—58 E. 7th St.; Dr. E. J. Bero	None
3:25—828 Henry St.; Joseph Walsh	Trifling
6:00—14 W. 99th St.; unknown	Trifling
6:45—323 E. 125th St.; Mrs. Baker	$1,000
7:15—80 E. 7th St.; Morris Warfield	$5
8:00—131 to 133 Prince St.; Dix & Co.	$10,000
9:55—142 W. 104th St.; unknown	Trifling

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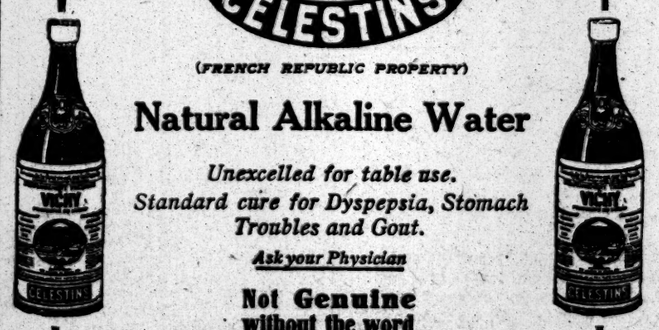

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